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Doings at the Seat of Government of New-Brunswick.

DETAILS OF THE RECEPTION AT HALIFAX.

Processions, Decorations and Illuminations.

ENTHUSIASM OF THE PEOPLE

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

FREDERICTON, Monday, Aug. 6.

The Prince of Wales and suite attended Divine service in the Cathedral of this town yesterday morning. His Royal Highness was dressed in plain clothes. There was a great crush for seats, and the edifice was completely filled.

The usual service of the Church of England was performed, varied with an anthem from the Psalms, "*God is our hope and strength.*" Mr. HAYDN, of Boston, played the organ, and the Lord Bishop of New-Brunswick preached.

The text was taken from the fourteenth chapter of Paul's Epistle to the Romans—verse twelve: *So then every one of us must give an account of himself to God.* The preacher, in the course of his sermon, incidentally allluded to the attachment of the people to the Throne and Constitution of Great Britain, and he dilated upon the equal responsibility to God of prince and peasant.

To-day the Legislature and Corporations will present addresses. The Prince will hold a levee, and witness the inauguration of the new park to open it formally. In the evening, he will attend a ball in the Parliament buildings.

The station at which the Prince of Wales left the cars for the steamer is to be called Rothesay, after one of His Royal Highness' Scottish titles. The wharf at which he landed in Fredericton is to be called the Prince of Wales' Wharf.

Gen. TAYLOR will be sworn in as administrator of the Government of Nova Scotia while Lord MULGRAVE accompanies the Prince to Quebec. H.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Monday, Aug. 6.

The Government of New-Brunswick presented the following address to the Prince of Wales this morning:

"The members of the Executive Council for themselves, the Legislature and the people of New-Brunswick, offer to you, the son of their beloved sovereign, and the heir apparent to her Throne, their respectful homage, and heartily welcome your Royal Highness to this Province. The inhabitants of New-Brunswick are the descendants of the Loyalists, who, in the war of the American Revolution, adhered to the Royal standard, and of emigrants from Europe and the British Isles; are fervently attached to British institutions; contented and happy in the enjoyment of that large measure of national liberty which our mixed form of government has secured. They have with patience and industry devoted themselves to the development of the resources of the country and the advancement of its material interests; and ever since the organization of the Province, in 1784, it has steadily advanced in all the elements of progress. The visit of your Royal Highness brings to the recollection of many of the old inhabitants the time when your illustrious grandfather visited this Province, and they refer with pleasure to his benignity and courtesy. In forming this colony, it was the desire of the Imperial Government that the Constitution should be settled upon the model of its great original in the parent state, but it was not until the reign of your august mother, her most gracious Majesty, Queen VICTORIA, that the principles of self government were fully established, with ample power to regulate our trade, consequently with the general policy of the nation. Although in this portion of the Empire your Royal Highness will not discover evidences of the great wealth and refinement of the Old World, we believe that you will be pleased with the energy of the people and their success, and that your Royal Highness will receive new proof of their fitness for self-government, of their loyalty to the Queen, and of their attachment to the institutions of the fatherland. We hope that in witnessing the discipline of our volunteers, your Royal Highness will be assured that the patriotic spirit which animates the people of the parent State, also pervades this portion of the Empire; and that if the necessity should ever arrise all the available resources of New Brunswick will be freely offered for the defence of Imperial interests and the maintenance of National honor.

In again tendering to your Royal Highness our unfeigned congratulations, we would invoke the continuance of the Divine blessing upon your illustrious house, and most fervently pray that your Royal Highness may long enjoy the high position to which Divine Providence has called you—even the pride of your august mother and the hope of our common country.

The Prince replied as follows:

GENTLEMEN: I receive with much gratification an address which, whilst it breathes a spirit of loyalty to the Queen and affectionate attachment to her family, which animates the whole people of this Province, does not fail to remind me of the claims of your ancestors to live in the memories of your Sovereign and of the British nation. The commercial activity of St. John—the thriving agriculture on the rich banks of the river, which I have traversed; the smiling aspect of this city, the capital of New-Brunswick, all tend to convince me, even apart from your gratifying assurances of the prosperity and happiness which you enjoy under the Constitution of the parent State, and the free institutions which you possess. Every visitor to your shores, but more especially the son of your Queen, must earnestly pray that your peaceful avocations may never be disturbed; but in case such a misfortune should await the empire, I rejoice to observe that in this as well as the Provinces which I have lately visited, the self-relying spirit of patriotism prevails; and I see, in the discipline of your volunteers, the determination to protect the national honor which is manifested in every portion of the Queen's dominions. I beg you to accept my thanks for your congratulations, and for your earnest prayers for my present and future happiness.

Two other addresses were delivered, one from the City of Fredericton and one from the clergy.

In the afternoon the Prince visited and inaugurated the new Park. This evening he attends a ball at the Parliament House.

THE PRINCE IN NOVA SCOTIA.

Full Details of the Halifax Reception.

From Our Own Correspondent.

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia, Monday, July 30, 1860.

Early this morning the signals on the Citadel flagstaff indicated to the expectant city of Halifax that two large steamers were in sight, coming from the eastward, and, soon after, a third became visible. For a long time, however, the vessels lay off the harbor, several miles out at sea, and it was not until 8 o'clock that a gun, fired from the look-out, announced that they were standing in to port. Then it could be perceived, by the aid of spy-glasses, that they were firing up briskly, beclouding the horizon with smoke, and bearing down direct for Halifax. In company with a large number of gentlemen, who had made arrangements to have an early view of His Royal Highness, and his fleet, I immediately went on board the little coasting steamer *Neptune*, which at once started seaward. We reached the Harbor's mouth at about the same time as the *Hero*, and as we met and passed her to leeward, our band struck up "God save the Queen," while we cheered as lustily as we were able. His Royal Highness, who was standing on the poop, dressed in plain clothes, encircled by naval officers, in uniform, came to the side, gracefully lifted his hat, and stood for some time uncovered, in acknowledgment of ours, his first welcome to Nova Scotia. My own "first impressions" of the Prince's personal bearing were certainly very favorable, and all those around me seemed similarly struck, for "A pleasant manner," "A nice young fellow," &c., were the remarks they made. None of us had the slightest difficulty in recognising His Royal Highness at once, for the pictures of him, which may have been seen in all the print-shops, strikingly resemble him, both as to the form and expression of his features.

After passing the *Hero* and the *Ariadne*, which latter, with the *Flying Fish*, was following exactly in the wake of the former, we turned and steamed back in company with the ships-of-war. Several merchant steamers accompanied us, while revenue cutters, Dutch Ketch harbor craft, sharp-nosed whalers, a number of yachts, a number of Indian bark-canoes, and a host of boats of every other kind big and little, clumsy and graceful, kept hovering around, all dressed in many colored bunting, and manned by numerous and enthusiastic crews. As soon as the *Hero* came within earshot, the salutes commenced. First we heard the roar of the York redoubt, then that of Point Pleasant, next that of the Eastern battery, a low, wicked looking nest of guns. The artillery from the inland forts and from the engineers' and ordnance batteries followed, then the boom of the Citadel guns was heard, and finally the *Nile*, the *Valorous* and *Cadmus*, ships of-war, lying in port, took up the thunder in succession. The royal and merchant ships in harbor, as also the hundreds of fishing vessels which seemed to have made Halifax their temperary *rendezvous*, were covered with flags from stem to stern; the wharves, very near to which the strange ships passed, were alive with human beings, thickly crowded together, shouting frantically; the ramparts of the Citadel were lined by red-coats, and, as the *Hero* approached her three sister-vessels above mentioned, a multitude of British tars, in their neat white uniforms, climbed the masts, manned the yards and gave three rousing British cheers. No time was lost in useless manœuvres, the fleet rounding under the stern of the *Hero*, the Admiral's ship, and coming quickly to the moorings which had been previously prepared.

Now some boats were rapidly lowered; lieutenants and midshipmen carrying the messages of higher officers, were swiftly rowed from one ship to the other, and soon a gun, followed by the exhibition of a pear-ranged signal at the foremast head of the Admiral's ship, announced that His Royal Highness the Prince would land at noon precisely at the Navy-yard. The hour and a half thus allowed was fully taken up in making the necessary preparations. The fleet of Indian canoes (manned by Micmacs in their best attire' headed and adorned with tassels and red cloth,) took the place of honor, next the landing stairs—a guard of marines was landed, a detachment of the Sixty-second Regiment was marched down from the citadel, and a fine body of sailors came ashore with straw hats and cutlasses, blue jackets and white breeches. Lord MULGRAVE, the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province, was busy conversing with his numerous friends, and wore the Windsor uniform: a blue coat with silver epaulettes, a cocked hat with a pink and white plume. Generals, Colonels, Majors, and a variety of other officers assembled, dressed in their brilliant uniforms, scarlet and glittering with gold. The jolly, good-natured Admiral, (Sir ALEX. MILNE) Capt. BARNARD, of the *Nile*, with his seven well-earned medals, also several other captains and lieutenants, all in the beautiful uniform of the British navy, heavy with gold lace, superintended the arrangements. The Church of England Bishop, in his satin robes and lawn sleeves, attended by a few of his clergy, in their gowns, were placed in one situation, within a rope simply laid down on the ground. To the Judges and members of the Nova Scotian bar, to the Mayor and Corporation of Halifax were assigned other standings. The Ministers of the Provincial Government, the Legislative Council and Assembly of Nova Scotia, occupied a distinct position. Other bodies had other stations, letter ed A, B, C, D, E, &c., with the most careful exactness, that good order in all the arrangements might be secured, as indeed it was. Members of the Press were favored by the Admiral with tickets "free of the yard," which allowed them to choose their stations where they pleased.

Nor were the *si pollot* neglected, for they had separate and roomy inclosures.

At 12 o'clock precisely, those few of the thousands of spectators who were observing closely the men-of-war at their moorings saw a number of sailors clambering up the shrouds of all of them. Like bees they swarmed into the rigging, and in an incredibly short space of time the yards were alive with them. Then a large white barge was manned, brought to the *Hero's* gangway, the Prince's staff descended the side of the vessel, the band on board played a few bars of the National Anthem of Great Britain, and His Royal Highness himself left the ship. Simultaneously, his standard, (the Royal standard of England with the Cobourg bars across the centre,) which had been flying at the mainmast was lowered, and hoisted in front of the boat—the Jack tars dropped their white oars in the water and pulled lustily shore-wards with measured stroke—and the whole of the fleet, six vessels in all, began a thunderous Royal salute of 21 guns from each ship. The heavy ordnance at once called the attention of the people to the fact that the Prince was about to land, all eyes were consequently directed to the landing stage, and in a few minutes the Prince's standard was run up at the dock yard flagstaff and VICTORIA'S (Queen of England) eldest son surrounded by some of the chief dignitaries of the British Empire, was introduced to the soil of Nova Scotia by Admiral MILNE, passing under a beautiful triumphal arch, erected, of course, for the occasion, and pausing for a brief instant that a photographic picture of the scene might be procured. It is needless to say that cheers arose at once spontaneously. His Royal Highness was attired in the full dress uniform of a colonel in the army, and wore what I understood to be the orders of the Garter and the Bath. The first person introduced to him was, of course, Lord MULGRAVE, the Lieutenant-Governor, and his Lordship at once proceeded to present his Ministers, the City Council, the Judges, the Houses of Parliament, his staff, the clergy, &c., &c.; to all of whom the Prince uncovered and bowed, with a peculiar gracefulness. Then an address from the City Corporation, in token of welcome, was presented to His Royal Highness. It was engrossed on parchment, and inclosed in a beautiful red velvet case, mounted with gold, and as a copy of it had been previously sent on board the *Hero*, and an answer prepared, the Prince replied on the spot, reading with a very musical voice, and great distinctness. The Earl of MULGRAVE was at his right hand; meanwhile, the tall Duke of NEWCASTLE, with his reddish beard and knotted face, being at his left. White-headed Maj. Gen. BRUCE, and iron-gray Admiral MILNE, were close behind. Around, almost pressing upon the brilliant group, were officers and members of Parliament and of the Press, curious to catch the first sound of the Prince's voice. This ceremony over, some high spirited and gorgeously-caparisoned horses were brought out, the Prince mounted lightly into his saddle, marked with the royal crown, the other high dignitaries, with their staffs, did the same. He followed the City Council, who marched on foot, through the streets of the city to the Government House, and was himself followed by a long procession, which defiled before him after he had arrived at that hospitable mansion.

The heartiness with which he was received was very marked, and must have been gratifying, for it was evinced not only by the cheers of the multitude, but by the elaborate and costly preparations which had been made.

The sweet-smelling evergreen spruce trees, in which, if in little else, this part of the Province is fertile, afford the people unusual facilities for their out-door decorations, nor have they been slow to avail themselves of this natural advantage. As a consequence, the streets of Halifax have been converted into plantations, nay, almost into forests of spruce.

The Prince seems highly pleased with the display made this morning in the streets, and stayed for some time where a great platform had been erected, on which were 300 school children, endeavoring to sing "God save the Queen" in unison, but only succeeded in shewing the strength of young Nova Scotia's lungs, for half a dozen sets of children kept half a dozen different times, and pitched their voices in half a dozen different keys. The sense of sight was, however, gratified, if that of hearing was not, for the children, especially the girls, were prettily and cleanly dressed. He was constantly conversing with the Duke of NEWCASTLE and with Earl MULGRAVE, and was especially animated when he passed the first of the arches. He must, doubtless, have been pleased, too, when the procession dodged before him at Government House, for, although it was of a kind common enough on this Continent, it must have been novel to European eyes. I have omitted to say that the streets were lined throughout by the soldiery, the volunteers, and the Masonic body, so that a capital vista was preserved for his Royal Highness. The procession following the Prince consisted, first, of the Union, Engine, and Axe Fire Companies, their engines and hose reels prettily dressed with flowers, their members in uniform—black trousers, red shirts, oilskin caps—and carrying axes, or some other part of a fireman's complete equipment. On the engines and hose-reels rode little children, dressed as mythological characters. After the firemen walked the North British and Highland Societies, some of their members in kilts and blue velvet coats; others merely with Scotch tartan plaids thrown over their shoulders. Then followed the Charitable Irish Society, with banners and emblems; the St. George's Society, also with a standard and with ribbands adorning their breasts; the Carpenter's Charitable Society; the African Society, composed of individuals, all colored, but of very varying degrees of dashiness; a body of Indians, more or less red as to skin, but all adorned with red cloth or beads of some description, and some wearing medals given them in the time of George IV.; the Sons of Temperance, apparently a very numerous band; and a body of colored Free Masons, who, however, stopped at the Masonic Hall, and went to lodge with their white brethren, instead of passing before the Prince. The Nova Scotia Volunteer Militiamen, too, were quite a feature in the scene, for their uniform is at the same time novel and effective for the purposes for which it is intended.

Although it had been quite fine while the procession was passing, it was no sooner concluded than it began to rain, and continued to do so all the rest of the afternoon. The Prince, nevertheless, after receiving, at the Government House, an address from the Executive Committee of Arrangements, and replying thereto, rode out on horseback, attended by Lord MULGRAVE, the Duke of NEWCASTLE, &c.—the whole of them in plain clothes. In the evening, towards nightfall the rain began to descend more and more plentifully, and by 9 o'clock it was falling in perfect torrents, making sewers of the streets. The illumination which was to have taken place, and for which great preparations had been made by the inhabitants, lost much of its splendor in consequence, and was, indeed a *coup manqué*—more's the pity. Only half the people lit up their houses, while the banks and public buildings and the men-of-war in harbor did not light up at all. There were, however, loyal subjects whose ardor the heavy rain even could not quench, and some streets consequently presented a most unusual spectacle. When immediately in front of an illuminated a sh or window, it was easy to read the inscription on the transparencies and to see of how many Japanese lanterns or little colored glass lamps the luminous display might consist. But at a little distance, owing to the fog and rain, naught but an insistnct glimmer could be perceived, almost like the blush of dawn or the sheen in the skies of a distant conflagration. Whether it was to see this peculiar atmospheric effect, or to investigate, as much as practicable, the various mottoes and devices which were made conspicuous, the streets were certainly thronged; you could not walk ten yards without having somebody's umbrella thrust into your face, or ride without being in imminent danger, every few seconds, of running over those who were gas-gazing in the middle of the roadway. So, after a brief excursion through the city, I turned homewards.

HALIFAX, Tuesday, July 31, 1860.

The Prince's standard was hoisted on the flagstaff on the common here, at 11 o'clock this morning, and a royal salute of 21 guns fired by the battery of artillery on the field, announced that His Royal Highness was coming on the ground. Previously to this all the regular and irregular troops that could be found had been drawn up in a great square, inclosing some forty acres of level ground, lying at the foot of the Citadel—the centre of the system of fortifications which gives Halifax at least the local reputation of being the third strongest fortress of the British Empire, Gibraltar and Quebec being assigned the first and second rank. There were fourteen brilliantly uniformed officers accompanying His Royal Highness, chief among whom were the inevitable Duke of NEWCASTLE, Lord MULGRAVE, Gen. TROLLOPE and Maj.-Gen. BRUCE. Earl ST. GERMAINS was in plain clothes, in a carriage close at hand. As the Prince and his attendants took up their position near the flag staff, the crowd which swarmed around cheered lustily; the ladies, of whom there were many in carriages, waved their handkerchiefs, and the gentlemen took off their hats, while the band played "God save the Queen." Then the review commenced. The band, numbering some 80 pieces, advanced into the centre of the square, and the Prince and staff rode round the whole, examining the bearing of the men, especially the volunteers. The Prince was mounted on a fine jet black horse, the housings of his saddle heavy with gold lace and regal ornaments. The Duke of NEWCASTLE and Gen. BRUCE also had very fine steeds, the choicest to be found in Nova Scotia, with elegantly ornamented trappings. When they had performed their circuit, the troops began to pass before them, the band playing various marches. First came the regular Artillery; then the Royal Engineers, and the Sixty-second and part of the Sixty-third Regiment of the Line. Next came the volunteer battalion—artillery, engineers and all—and these attracted my notice more than all the rest. Their gray uniforms were very neat, and looked soldierly. At a few hundred yards away the men became almost invisible, and it was evident how serviceable such costume is likely to be. There were some seven or eight companies of the militia: and last of all came the negro company, officered, it seemed, by whites. His Royal Highness gazed after them with not a little curiosity. The troops, numbering some 3 000 in all, marched past three times, each time in different order. Then they advanced in columns of battalions, gave a royal salute, and the regulars immediately left the field. The volunteers were then reviewed and went through several evolutions, cheered lustily, bristling their guns on their bayonets, and as their artillery was saluting his Royal Highness left the field.

This afternoon the Prince rode out in plain clothes, attended by the whole of the party with him, and witnessed the sports on the Common. An Indian war dance was the first on the programme. A dozen or so reddish white ruffians, led by a quack medicine doctor, who, though perfectly white, has been adopted into the Micmac tribe, got together and danced a sort of jig, burrahing very now and then feebly. Then there was an exhibition of archery by the Indians; also, a round or so of "putting the stone" by Caledonians, and some other sports, more or less entertaining, many of which the Prince looked at with evident pleasure.

The illumination this evening was perfectly splendid. I strolled through the streets just after sunset, and gained the summit of the citadel just in time to see the town beneath, before the last glimmer of twilight faded. I could also see the harbor, like a great river, beyond, and the opposite shore sloping upwards from the other side of that magnificent sheet of water. The night then became perfectly dark—no moon or stars being visible—and it was quite calm, artificial light was favored by the elements surpassingly. The great Provincial Lunatic Asylum, on the other side of the harbor, was the first building to be lighted up, and soon every window in it was brilliant with gas. Then the public buildings in the city are illuminated, and the lamps on the highest of them became visible from the eminence where I was standing. Next, bonfires on the hills around began to spear—the blaze from one giving the signal for kindling the others, miles away. Then, a blue light from the navy-yard being the signal, a bouquet of rockets from the Nile rose high into the air, and, in a second, as if by magic, at every port-hole of every man-of-war, and at the end of every yard, bright "long lights" were lit, making the forms of the vessels distinctly visible, causing the bonfires to show quite red by comparison with their brilliant white, and the water to appear a black sea, sparkling with the scintillations from the fireworks. This dazzling and beautiful scene lasted perhaps five minutes, when more rockets rushed up from every ship, and all was dark again. Descending from the citadel, I again passed through the city, this time bright with transparencies, lanterns, candles, lamps and gas-jets.

Nearly had I rated my eyes with the illumination, when I found it was time to go to the ball, where the Prince was, and the *élite* of Halifax society. It was given at the Province Building, an edifice usually occupied by the two branches of the Legislature and the officials of the Government, which was beautifully fitted up—the taste, industry and capital of Halifax having been employed for a week on its adornment. Even outside there were numerous devices in green, while round the *façade* ran these mottoes in letters of gold, "VICTORIA R., Great and Good," and "Prince of WALES—A Welcome to the Colonies." Inside, the spacious lobbies and staircases were festooned with flags, and their cornices were "picked out" by numberless lets of gas. On entering, the word "Welcome," illuminated, first, met the eye, and, encouraged by it, those who had the indispensable ten dollar tickets found their way upstairs, past stars of bayonets and wheels of sword-blades, glittering in the gaslight, to the drawing-room and the refreshment room, into which the assembly and Council Chambers had been metamorphosed. These two were tastefully adorned. In the former hung large portraits of King WILLIAM and Queen MARY, of George III. and his Queen, of King WILLIAM IV., of the late Chief Justices HALIBURTON and BLOWERS—all the property of the Legislative Council. Between and around these were groups of small flags, prettily festooned, and a few wreaths and garlands of evergreens and artificial flowers.

The Prince opened the ball by a quadrille, which he danced with Lady MULGRAVE; while he went through the next dance, a waltz, with a niece of the Premier, Hon. Mr. YOUNG. After this he chose his partners without any special reference to their station. He danced a nine dances before the end I don't know how many after, supper, evidently enjoying the amusement much. His deportment is very good, and he waltzes, especially, with much grace. He converses fluently while dancing, and so freely as sometimes almost to interrupt the order of the dance.

At 1 o'clock the company took their ladies to supper. The Prince, of course, went at the head of the procession, with Lady MULGRAVE. He was followed by the Duke of Newcastle, Earl St. Germains, Lord Mulgrave, Gen. Trollope, Maj. Gen. Bruce, Admiral Milne, and the American Consul, Mr. Pillsbury. A gorgeous train of uniformed officers of the army and navy, and of civilians in full dress, each gentleman with a handsomely dressed lady, swept out after, and the supper-room was soon filled. The Prince had a table almost to himself, for there were only three gentlemen who of right took their station there—I mean the Duke, Lord MULGRAVE and Gen. BRUCE. Even Earl ST. GERMAINS, in his uniform as Lord Steward of the Household, his breast all covered with thick gold lace, had to stand, and see that the table was properly served—a sinecure office, of course. Several officers of the army and navy, were, however, specially invited to his table by His Royal Highness. There were no seats—all the company, including the Prince, standing at the tables. After partaking to some extent of the good things, of which, as the Government provided them, you may be sure there was no lack, the Grand Steward, I think it was, called order and gave "Her Majesty the Queen," without preface or comment. The company cheered, and the band performed a strain of the national anthem. In a few minutes, "His Royal Highness the Prince Consort" was similarly proposed and received. Then "His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales" was toasted, and of course the cheering was enthusiastic; but it did not appear to be etiquette to reply, for the Prince, almost immediately after, led the Countess, his companion, away, and the official personages followed.

The ball passed off admirably. It was, in fact, a great success.

The Mayor of Halifax gave a dinner yesterday to a number of civic and other colonial dignitaries, but as his worship forgot to send invitations to the Press—almost the only instance in which there has been the slightest lack of courtesy to the members of the "fourth state"—I do not intend to say more about it than that Major BILLINGS, of Montreal, was on his right—Mayor LINCOLN, of Boston, on his left—Hon. Messrs. YOUNG, HOWE, and other members of the Colonial Government, and Messrs. JOHNSON, TUPPER, and other members of the Opposition, occupied places of honor—that members of the New-Brunswick Legislature were similarly treated—and that there was a great deal of poor champagne and poorer speaking, but that the utmost jollity prevailed.

The Prince conversed with many of those present, and, at parting, shook hands with the ladies and a few of the gentlemen—all of whom had, of course, been previously presented. Mayor LINCOLN then invited the Prince to visit Boston, and, if need be, to bring his fleet into Boston harbor and embark there for Europe. The Duke of NEWCASTLE afterwards told the Mayor that no programme could as yet be settled for the visit to the United States, since it was not known how long the Prince would remain in Canada, that the Queen desired him to return so as to recommence his studies in the month of October, and that time must therefore govern his movements. It was added that authority had been given to Lord LYONS, the British Ambassador, to receive invitations for His Royal Highness, and that, on meeting him at Quebec, it would be settled where the Prince would go. As to the embarkation for Europe, nothing was as yet fixed, but it was likely it would be at New-York, although Portland had been spoken of.

The Prince of Wales, as the officers of the *Hero* tell me, experienced little sea sickness after leaving Plymouth in the *Hero*. The officers' mess room having been vacated, that apartments for His Royal Highness might be fitted up, there is plenty of room made for him and his suite. The dining-room is immediately under the poop, and his bedroom is at the stern. The dining-room contains very simple furniture, but what there is, is elegant in the extreme. On the sideboard are two beautiful little marble busts, one of the Queen, the other of Prince ALBERT. Above these is a print of Prince ALFRED, in midshipman's uniform, and all around the room are portraits of celebrated naval officers—KEPPEL, BROKE of Sarawak, &c. The cabins of the bedroom are covered with a neat chintz. The rooms of His Grace of Newcastle and of Lord St. GERMAINS are similar in their simplicity.

The passage from Newfoundland to Nova Scotia was a little longer than was expected. Nevertheless the fleet found time to put in to Sydney and Cape Breton, where the Prince landed amid much enthusiasm, and reviewed the volunteer militia. H.

THE PRINCE IN NEW-BRUNSWICK.

Departure from Halifax—at Windsor—Arrival at St. John, etc.

Correspondence of the Boston Post.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Saturday, Aug. 4, 1860.

A successful attempt at early rising gives me an opportunity of writing by the steamer which leaves this port for Boston at 8 A. M. to-day. The delightful weather of the past fortnight has at length given place to a dense fog, in which the metropolis of New-Brunswick is now completely buried, and departure from this region is thereby rendered less disagreeable.

On Thursday morning last the Prince and his *suite* left Halifax amid the same acclamation of popular enthusiasm that greeted his arrival, and proceeded by special train to Windsor. From this moment there commenced a laxity of the exclusiveness heretofore so rigidly maintained, for royalty and its attendant luminaries deigned to ride in the same car with such plebeians as news-paper correspondents, and subsequently to eat from the same breakfast tables with them in the hotel at Windsor. The country traversed by the Nova Scotia Railway is dull, uninteresting, and monotonous—oppressive in its continuous aspect of primeval solitude—wild at times in its rough, ragged, and desolate wastes—and presenting now and then exhibitions in which rocks and trees are so mingled and confused as to appear contending for a mastery of the place. Upon leaving Halifax the road winds gracefully along the heavily curved banks of Bedford Basin, a beautiful sheet of water, and then, with transition most sudden and unexpected, runs along ledges, to gaze down from which affords no delight, and over roughly-constructed bridges beneath which awful gorges seem to anxiously await the first fearful accident. Once in a while the cars break up at a station, where will its paint has been at some period or other—but, as a general thing, the houses are of the most wretched description, and for most of the distance rude huts, composed principally of roof in each instance, give the only sign that civilisation here enjoys. But the Prince having seen this country, he will, perhaps, do something for its improvement when he dons the Kingly robes!

Nothing of particular interest marked the festivities at Windsor. His Royal Highness was received and addressed, of course, and then sent on to Hansport, a few miles below on the coast, where the steam sloop-of-war *Styx* was awaiting his arrival. We common folks commenced our voyage from Windsor in the steamer *Emperor*, and being under the excellent care of Capt. CRESSLER, (a nephew of Sir FENWICK WILLIAMS, and, like many other sailors that I know, one of nature's true noblemen,) had no occasion to envy the Prince as possessing superior accommodations. A short distance below Hansport we were joined by the *Styx*, and had the representative of the R. N. as a constant companion to this port. The Prince frequently showed himself upon the quarter deck in response to our complimentary salutations, and the change of dress that he had made furnished another item to the insatiable reporters. No gorgeous scarlet coat, glossy and richly plumed cocked hat, and resplendent "Orders," decked his slight figure now, no nobby civilian's costume set off those well-shaped but as yet undeveloped limbs—nothing but a vulgar tweed suit, with a common straw hat, wore he. All efforts to count the number of strands in the straw and to ascertain the cut of his trowsers failed! It is safe to presume, however, that the latter were peg-tops. It was a magnificent day in the Bay of Fundy, that Thursday, and many fine scenic views were obtained. We saw the Acadia which LONGFELLOW has immortalized, but the only "Evangeline" that came on board at Parsborough (the Acadian landing) was an oddly built and roughly finished damsel of some sixty winters whom it were impossible to imagine as the heroine of the great poem.

On Thursday night the *Styx* came to anchor in St. John harbor, and yesterday morning he landed. In New-Brunswick, as in Nova Scotia, the great event had been awaited with eager anticipations of pleasure, and as a matter of consequence the naturally beautiful but much abused St. John wore a lively aspect when the bright, warm and unclouded sun of Friday rose above it. At an early hour the streets were thronged with men, women and children—with the rough, ignorant and unmannerly fully represented as usual on such occasions; the note of busy preparation everywhere sounded, the Committees rushed about with furious intent on something or somebody, windows along the route chosen for the procession were promptly filled with the beauty and their opposites of the Province, bands with firemen and bands without firemen marched and remarched to the music of G. B. the Q., R. B., and R. W. and B., while the military companies, fire brigade, and charitable societies with nervous excitement undertook to form guard lines, (similar in idea though not similar in practical working to those described at Halifax,) along Prince William-street. At 10 o'clock, the hour assigned for the landing, I was at my place on the wharf. Said "place" was no "pent up Utica," for those entering the high-walled inclosure were permitted to wander whithersoever they desired. No lettered boxes said go here and go there, no small-rope encircled places were assigned for the corporations, &c., and the only seats from which a view of the ceremonies could be obtained were those flanking the inclosure on either side, and which were the profitable creations and creatures of private speculation. At the foot of the wharf the carpenters were still hard at work in erecting a treacherous ascent by which his Royal Highness was to reach New-Brunswick soil, and ludicrous enough was this spectacle. A gentleman in naval uniform, with hammer in one hand, and mouthful of tacks, was rushing about under the impulse of hot excitement, and directing, so far as the state of his mind would permit him, the operations of the nail-drivers, as thin slab after thin slab was fixed to the plane of steep incline that united a float below to a wharf above. Two strips of carpeting were rolled over the "arrangement," and then the danger of the place was increased by deception—tacks to secure the carpet being driven at wrong places, and in a manner to conceal the angles of the "steps" upon which royal feet were soon to be tremblingly placed. The work goes on, and in a few minutes will undoubtedly be completed, but royalty can no longer wait. The sailors of the *Styx* have already manned the yards, and the guns of the vessel give the salute of twenty-one as the barge containing the Prince approaches the shore. But a few more nails! only a few more! And the result is that the carpenters have only time to escape, dropping behind them as they proceed half their utensils, as the distinguished young gentleman jumps with youthful sprightliness and vigor upon the float below. The Lieutenant Governor-General, Hon. Mr. MANNERS SUTTON, welcomes him, and hand in hand, with NEWCASTLE, BRUCE, ST. GERMAINS and Col. TREVELYAN close behind, they scale the wharf without injury to life or limb. The dislocation of a few tacks will suggest repair before this affair is again used, but beyond that no accident is reported. How fortunate!

I do not doubt for one moment the loyalty of the New Brunswickers—neither am I inclined to think that the people here entertain less exalted views of ALBERT EDWARD than those of Nova Scotia. But certainly no such enthusiasm as made the landing at Halifax so exciting exhibited itself here. At the wharf there were a few straggling cheers lastly following one another, and the demonstrations along the route from the landing to the Chipman Place (where the Prince quarters) were of the weakest possible description. The ladies would sometimes wave their handkerchiefs, and at odd moments some bold fellow would startle a big crowd around him by affecting that singularity which the utterance of a few burrahs constituted. His Highness was received upon passing the gate of the Chipman Place by twenty-five hundred juvenile voices attuned to "God save the Queen," the little ones being ranged along either side of the driveway, and strewing the path with flowers as the Prince proceeded. A reception at the Court-house was subsequently held, and the other movements of the day consisted of a visit to Carlton with an inspection of the suspension bridge, a dinner and a review of the military. To-day he goes to Fredericton, where he will remain until Tuesday next, a grand ball being given there in his honor on Monday night, and he will return to St. John on Tuesday. At the second visit no stop will be made, but the *Styx* will at once convey him to Windsor, whence he will proceed by cars and stages across to Pictou, where his fleet will be in waiting to convey him to Prince Edward's Island.

The public displays at this point yesterday closed with fireworks on both King's and Queen's squares, and a general illumination of the city—St. John, in this feature, far exceeding Halifax. It should be well understood by all, however, that, in the comparisons instituted relative to the two places here and in another paragraph named, liberal allowance is to be made for the superior facilities which Halifax, as a great military and naval station, possessed. The fire brigade of St. John appeared finely. The frequency of disastrous conflagrations has created a department not only efficient, but largely composed of some of the best blood of the town. The decorations here were good, although by no means expensive, and were alone disgraced by an execrably ugly arch at the head of the wharf—the deformities of which are too numerous for rehearsal. In the vicinity of King's-square there were two banners with these (by some deemed rather significant) words: 'Long Live the Queen"—"God Save the Prince." The sentiment everywhere seems to be that the young man is respected merely as the representative of his maternal parent, and upon a banner stuck from the upper window of an elegant private residence on Prince William-street I notice the command, "Honor Him for His Mother."

The next great point will, of course, be Quebec, and all stoppages at intermediate points will be of but very little interest to the public. Uncertainty, too, is the presiding genius of mail arrangements at Prince Edward's Island—the remark is applicable to all these regions which have so long awaited the introduction of a little Yankee enterprise and energy; and, hoping soon again, dear *Post*, to enjoy the comfortable and attractive quarters you give all correspondents, I remain, like the Union, now and forever.

THE PRINCE'S RECEPTION IN NEW-YORK.

Movement on the part of British Residents.

A meeting of British residents in New-York, to the number of 100 or more, was held at the Astor House last evening in response to a call from E. M. ARCHIBALD, Esq., Her Britannic Majesty's Consul at this port, to adopt measures for extending an appropriate welcome to the Prince of Wales on his arrival in this City.

On motion of EDWARD WALKER, Esq., Mr. ARCHIBALD was elected Chairman of the meeting.

On taking the chair, Mr. ARCHIBALD tendered his acknowledgments for the honor conferred upon him, and expressed his regret, notwithstanding the large audience he saw before him, that many British residents who would be happy to unite in the objects of this meeting were absent from the City and unable to attend. The meeting was called for the purpose of considering the propriety of showing some marks of respect, on the part of British residents in this City, to His Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales, on his approaching visit to this City. There had been some exceptions taken to such a movement in certain quarters, but they were founded upon a paragraph that appeared in some of the morning papers of Saturday last, to the effect that arrangements were being made with the proprietors of the Metropolitan Hotel to give a grand ball to the Prince of Wales at that hotel—an announcement entirely unauthorized. The Prince of Wales would visit this country first on the invitation of the President of the United States, and his visit to this City would be on the invitation of the Mayor of New-York. He was sure that, under whatever name or title he might travel, he would receive a most cordial and hearty welcome and reception from the people of this great City. [Applause.] It was not the design of those who united in the call for this meeting to adopt any measures to supersede, or in any manner to interfere with the reception which the people of this City might see fit to extend to the Prince of Wales. Living so long in this City, they had come to regard themselves as New-Yorkers, and there was not one of them who did not feel as proud of the extent, magnificence and commercial prominence of New-York as any native born citizen. [Applause.] But as natives of British soil, they stood in a peculiar relation to this illustrious personage who was about to visit us, and it was the opinion of those who called this meeting, as he had no doubt it was the opinion of all present, that the British residents of New-York would be wanting in a plain and palpable duty if they permitted the son of the Queen and heir to the Throne of England, to come and go without some expression of these sentiments which they all entertained, and which such an event would be expected to call forth. [Applause.] Whatever form the demonstrations of respect might take, they ought to be in harmony with any plan that might be adopted by the authorities and citizens of New-York. There was accordingly no desire on their part to arrogate to themselves any privileges with measures that might be contemplated among the citizens generally. The Prince visits this country for the purpose of making himself acquainted with the American people, and with American institutions, and all opportunities should be given him to acquire this knowledge.

He had been instructed that his Royal Highness would probably not reach this City before the 1st of October, or perhaps later, and all that would be requisite at this meeting would be to appoint a Committee to take preliminary steps to carry out the objects of the meeting and report at a future day. And he would repeat that whatever demonstration might be resolved upon should be made to accord with what should be ascertained to be the views of the Mayor, and of the citizens of New-York generally. [Applause.] The visit of a Prince of Wales to this country was a new and significant event in history, and was a worthy tribute of homage to the greatness and advancement of this magnificent country. But it was quite sufficient to insure him a cordial welcome from the people of the United States, that he came here as the son of the Queen of England, the universally beloved and respected VICTORIA. [Great Applause.]

In conclusion, he would merely add that he had received an intimation since he entered the room, that among other marks of respect, the Chamber of Commerce of this City intended to give a ball in honor of the Prince. [Applause.]

On motion of T. BLACKBURN, Esq., Mr. PHILIP PRITCHARD was then chosen Secretary of the meeting.

Dr. BEALES, President of the St. George's Society, then submitted the following resolutions, which he premised by a few remarks, in which he agreed with Mr. ARCHIBALD, that there was no intention on the part of the British residents of New-York to interfere in any manner with the reception that might be extended to the Prince of Wales by the citizens of New-York:

Whereas, His Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales, is about to visit this City, and the British residents there, of being desirous to testify their respect and welcome by some fitting demonstration,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed by the Chair to take the preliminary measures to car

NORTHERN GERMANY.

Arrival at Hamburg—The Steam Line to New-York—Architectural Traits of Hamburgh—Hotel Life—A German Stove—Rain Forever—The Streets.

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

HAMBURG, Sunday, July 8, 1860.

The various and arduous pursuits of pleasure and health, with which the present century relaxes its business of money-making, induce or compel so many people to visit Europe in "the season of the year," that it has become a matter of interest to watch the increasing current and note the points to which it washes so considerable a proportion of our floating population. Any point it may be inferred is acceptable to the ordinary traveler after a couple of weeks' experience of salt water; it is only before starting that he has preferences in these matters. Liverpool for many reasons is still the most frequented place of debarkation; next in order comes Havre, increasingly popular with Paris-loving Americans; then Hamburg—a recently established port for this sort of trade, but very well situated for those who seek the health-giving waters of Northern and Southern Germany. Of the lines which run to the two first ports it is unnecessary to speak, but so little is known concerning the last of the trio, and of the place whence it starts, that a lazy Summer letter concerning both may not be uninteresting.

If the reader should happen to have gout, rheumatism, paralysis, liver disease, or any other moiety of the extremely liberal allowance of standard complaints with which civilization is mortified, he is very apt to experience European yearnings, and to desire above all things to proceed to the place of promised relief in the straightest possible way. From a tolerable experience of the cheerful disposition of such persons, the writer is justified he thinks, in saying that a man with two legs like bolsters does not as a rule care about traveling out of his way, for the sake of the picturesque. To this noble army of martyrs the Hamburg line offers peculiar inducements. It carries him to a convenient centre for visiting all the most celebrated watering-places; saves him a vast amount of annoyance from strange Custom-house and police officials, and, in a word, keeps his poor old toes out of the way of heavy British shoe-leather and other Foreign harm. There are direct and comfortable railroads from Hamburg to all the spas he is likely to visit,—or as near to them as a German railroad, with its constitutional aversion to engineering obstacles, can be expected to go.

The disaster to the *Austria* undoubtedly had a very injurious effect on the fortunes of the Hamburg line, but despite that unhappy event it still maintains a fleet of five vessels. The service does not appear to be rendered with the efficiency that its importance demands. In a postal point of view it may be questioned if either New-York or Hamburg has derived any benefit from its establishment. Resistance, rather than speed, is the characteristic of the boats, and in consequence letters to either city sent *via* France or England, generally reach their destination earlier than by this direct route. The vessels—safe and substantial in themselves—appear to be over-worked and badly handled, the machinery breaking down in small ways that indicate a want of mechanical supervision, and from causes which might and should be discovered and remedied in port. Unless the managers of the line guard against the frequent recurrence of these things, they will earn for the Company a notoriety as odious as that which is now enjoyed by themselves for their management of it. Both in Hamburg and in New-York there is a kindly disposition to help it along, and there is reason to believe that in material prosperity it is not worse off than many of its Atlantic competitors. Citizens of Teutonic origin give it an undoubted preference, and there is no doubt that, properly conducted, a large share of our annually increasing intercourse with the Old World could be turned into this channel. But whilst the boats (in power) and accommodations are alike inadequate, the company can scarcely expect to rise above its present level of an emigrant line. The writer of this communication paid his fare to be conveyed to Hamburg; but after being tossed about at sea with a broken and useless engine for thirteen days, was glad to escape at Queenstown, in Ireland, and proceed by a more certain route to his destination. Those who were of a different way of thinking had the satisfaction of remaining four or five days in the harbor, and afterwards of being ignominiously towed to Southampton, whence, after a further delay, they were subsequently sent to London, and in due course to Hamburg. At least two adventures of a somewhat similar character have occurred during the present Spring and Summer.

When you do get to Hamburg, you are pretty certain to forget your ill-temper, for it is a bright town, and seems mighty grand with its long rows of tall houses, trying to look like stone, and succeeding pretty well, under grave circumstances of stucco. According to Mr. NATHANIEL HAWTHORNE, every city that would be up to the age and keep pace with its elegancies, should be burnt down at least once in two hundred years. Hamburg is an apt illustration of the force of this incendiary remark. The celebrated fire of 1842 modernized two-thirds of the city of Hamburg by making clean work of 61 streets and 1,749 houses. On the sites of these gabled martyrs have been reared magnificent ranges of streets, laid out with a good eye to metropolitan effect, and not a little architectural dexterity in the use of styles. How long they will retain their present brilliant aspect, is a question which can only be decided by the town purse. Buildings that are stuccoed with extreme elaboration are like ladies who use cosmetics—they require constant care and touching up to look spruce. Both become horribly dilapidated if left to the unrestrained ravages of time. At the present moment, Hamburg keeps her face painted as carefully as a Parisian actress, and looks as brilliant and fashionable, if not quite so dissipated.

Being a free town and the most important seaport on the Continental side of the North Sea, it enjoys many privileges and advantages, but despite these it has contrived, owing to its misfortunes, to run heavily into debt; so much so, indeed, that a British writer exclaims in extreme jubilation, that it hath a national debt not unworthy of Rule Britannia, and sufficient to establish its respectability in the eyes of all polite Powers. If only for its debts, therefore, Hamburg would be interesting—there is something so peculiarly human in owing money. The trade of the place has increased prodigiously during the past ten years, and the Budget for 1860 amounts to ten million marks currency, equal to $2,800,000, a rather liberal and successful squeeze out of a town of less than two hundred thousand inhabitants. Direct taxation, and an impost on all articles entering or leaving the place are the municipal screws by which it is effected. The Custom-house being of a purely domestic character, and addicted to beeves and kine, leaves the traveler very much to himself; the officials scarcely bore themselves to inquire if he has anything contraband in his trunks, and the mildest negative, conveyed in the worst possible German, will satisfy their sense of duty. If the traveler cannot speak the worst possible German, he can readily procure small slips of paper with the desired answer printed on them. They are issued by all the Continental Governments, and cost from one thaler up to one thousand—the value being printed on the face. Several useful sentences can also be found on pieces of silver, and a great deal of epigram and force in certain utterances of gold.

From the place where your dinner pays its duty to the place where you pay your duty to your dinner is a simple and natural transition. A stranger's first impression of German hotel life is not likely to be soon erased, if it was received in Hamburg. He may travel for many, many months without finding superior accommodation. People who run in debt generally know the secret of good living, and to a happy facility in the former respect may be ascribed the positive excellence of all Hamburg inns. Hotel life in Germany presents some peculiarities which may be noted. The bedrooms being used also as sitting-rooms, are necessarily furnished in a double barreled sort of way, and great care is taken to have the bedsteads as curiously and uncomfortably small as possible—perfectly Procrustean in fact. In the day time this unique object is covered up in such a way that a person of an extremely vacuous frame of mind might mistake it for an elegant trifle of parlor furniture. Even the wash-basins and stands are reduced to the necessity of practicing an impudent and unbearable sort of deception in the face of waving towels which proclaim their low uses. Notwithstanding these ingenious contrivances there is very little difficulty in telling where the bedroom ends and the parlor begins. The latter is, as it were, mapped out on the floor by an isolated fragment of carpet on which stands a table, surrounded by several chairs and a sofa, all scrupulously clean and comfortable. It is here, on this sumptuous oasis, that the imaginative boarder fancies himself in another apartment. Not far from its polite influences stands a valuable *escretoire*, and the spittoon—so ample in its proportions that the poorest shot can scarcely fail to hit it—whilst the Tells of the art could take it from the street or round the corner with tolerable certainty. In all German hotels, it may be here remarked, there is always ample provision for writing, and the literary Peckeniffs who dart out of bed in the middle of the night to transfix the nocturnal thought which under solar influences might evaporate, have here every possible opportunity of adding to the intellectual treasures of the world, and disturbing their neighbors.

The unaccustomed foreigner will be impressed with an imposing pile of delicate masonry which always towers up in one corner of his apartment, be it ever so humble. In its character it is so decidedly monumental that his first idea will be, no doubt, that it is a sort of mausoleum or tomb erected by a grateful landlord to the memory of a departed guest. When he has conquered the sublimity of this idea sufficiently to proceed to investigations he will find that the ashes it contains are not those of mortality, but simply of extinct turf and coal fires. The Germans, for a hardy and healthy race, are curiously sensitive to cold and never neglect a reasonable precaution to guard against it. Their stoves are infant towers of Babel, starting from the ground and going up as high as they can get. Being made of a peculiar kind of porcelain their radiating capacities are very great, and monstrous as they are in size, they may be fed with a teaspoon, so little do they consume of fuel. Nothing in the shape of a stove can be positively cheerful, but these contrivances of the Germans being white, and more or less ornamented, are relatively less dismal than their black brethren on the other side of the Alantic. They are free, too, from that intolerable odor of neglected iron which our stoves and even grates give out when wooed by the persuasive breezes of Summer.

If you look out of window, the first thing that attracts your attention is water; if you put your head out of the hotel the first thing that descends upon it is water. This accounts for the swans, of which you have received specimens, and the prevalence of umbrellas. The city is intersected by canals, and rendered refulgent with ornamental basins or reservoirs. As they seem to serve no useful purpose—the drainage being carried off by other means, I suppose they are intended as compliments to the clerk of the weather who is kind enough to allow it to rain every half hour in this favored spot. The principal promenade is round one of these reservoirs, and at night time, when the lamps are beaming in the streets and from the hotels, and the moon casts her white light on the waters the scene is extremely fantastic and pleasing. In the day time they are principally useful for seeing how hard it rains. Talk about London being a moist place, why it is absolutely arid compared with Hamburg.

There are lots of streets that compare favorably with the best in London, but not one that equals Broadway. The stores in some instances are magnificent, and the poorest little concern somehow contrives to make a brilliant show. I am informed by a married gentleman, who has gone through several severe attacks of shopping in the principal cities of Europe, that Hamburg is rather favorable to the disease, provided you don't want to buy anything. The storekeepers make such magnificent displays in their windows that very frequently there is really nothing behind but a desk, a stove, and a bankrupt. And so, my friend says, your dear wife can see everything from the outside, and under the healthful influence of those pleasing commentaries which the evil spirit of Benedictine economy never fails to evoke on such occasions, but which the subtle affability of a salesman is very apt to suppress, you can grumble and walk on. The monster!

I shall have something more to say about Hamburg in a day or two. I must now borrow an umbrella, and put this letter in the post. C. B. S.

From Arizona.

CAPT. EWELL'S CAMPAIGN—THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT.

Correspondence of the St. Louis Republican.

TUCSON, Thursday, June 14, 1860.

Nothing definite is yet known of Capt. EWELL'S movements against the Apaches of the Chiricahue Mountains. It is believed that he has attacked them and is carrying on a vigorous campaign, as the Indians did not comply with his demand for a return of the stock recently stolen. A train was attacked by them some six days since, at Apache Pass, and, although they had a large force, they were repelled with the loss of one killed and several wounded. The wagon master counted over 70 Indians, and as some were armed with rifles, it is surprising that they were forced to retreat. We learned yesterday that Capt. EWELL was on his way to Fort Buchanan for a further supply of provisions and forage. I have heard of but one attempt by the Indians to commit depredations in this vicinity for several weeks. They have been unusually quiet for some time, and Capt. E.'s campaign may have a tendency to check them.

The mining excitement completely suspended the operations of our Provisional Government, and we are again without the protection of law. I sincerely hope it will only prove temporary, and that the officers will shortly resume their labors, as it is the only form of government we are likely to secure for some time. Our county organization was working well, and to the satisfaction of the citizens generally; but Judges and Sheriff, with many of their constituency, were lured to the mines, and the new Government, while yet in its infancy, was suspended. Should it be suffered to die out, we have the alternative of living as heretofore, in disorder and anarchy, or recognizing the Territorial Government of New-Mexico, which, with its strong Mexican proclivities, affords the semblance of law, with little of its substance. I hope, however, that the Provisional Government will continue, and that ere the term of the District Court, all will be well with us.

The stages from California still continue to arrive, crowded with passengers, and the company, in order to afford further accommodations for travelers, are about putting on larger coaches. But two vacant seats have been at the disposal of parties bound eastward from Tucson, in two months. The new stages will be placed on the line very soon.

PREPARING FOR A START.—ANOTHER CIRCULAR FROM GEN. BICKLEY.—The following manifesto is circulating in the Southern States:

HEAD-QUARTERS AMERICAN LEGION, K. G. C., }
KNOXVILLE, TENN., July 28th, 1860. }

[GENERAL ORDER, No. 28.]

Commandants of regiments and companies are hereby instructed to inform their men that the South-western Division of the Army of the K. G. C. is ordered to rendezvous on the south bank of the Rio Nueces, in Encinal county, Texas, on the 15th of September, 1860.

Individuals belonging to other divisions, desirous of attaching themselves to the above movement, will have to report themselves, equipped as emigrants (see circular letter of the Commander-in-Chief in the Richmond [Va.] *Whig*, of July 18th), at the time and place above designated.

The said equipments may consist of wagons, horses, mules, oxen, cattle, spades, axes, camp-kettles, and other camp utensils, two blankets each, and at least twenty dollars, in specie, (!) per man. This sum of money will be invested for necessary articles of outfit before crossing the Rio Grande.

Individuals of sober, moral and industrious habits, of Southern birth, or entertaining sentiments favorable to the institutions of the South, may connect themselves with the movement by reporting themselves, equipped as above, at the Rio Nueces encampment.

No one is expected to appear in camp before the 15th of September, but as soon afterwards as possible.

Donations in aid of this movement, in sums of One Dollar and upward (!!!), are elicited from the noble women and men of the South. Such sums may be deposited in any reliable Southern Bank, payable to the order of Col. NAT. J. SCOTT, of Auburn, Ala., who is the Paymaster-General and Financial Chairman of the organization.

Newspapers devoted to Southern interests, and disposed to aid an organization composed of Southern men, are respectfully solicited to publish this.

By order of Gen. GEORGE BICKLEY.

C. BICKLEY, Aid-de-Camp.

THE WAR OF THE DICTIONARIES.

The Reviewer of the "Times" Reviewed.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Some weeks since an article appeared in the TIMES concerning WEBSTER'S and WORCESTER'S Dictionaries, abounding in valuable suggestions on the general subject of Lexicography, but loose and inaccurate in the statement of facts. Will you allow me space to correct some of these misstatements, and to illustrate more fully some of the suggestions of the article referred to?

The reviewer institutes a comparison between the two dictionaries in respects of Vocabulary, Etymology and Definition. With regard to the first, he states that "the Vocabulary of WORCESTER must outnumber the latest editions of WEBSTER by at least fifteen or twenty thousand words!" Now, the fact is, according to a certified statement of the publishers of the latter, made from actual count and measurement, that Webster contains 7,650 more words than Worcester, and 1,473,820 more ems. So much for the "verbal opulence" of the respective works.

But mere numerical superiority of itself affords no conclusive evidence as to the value of a dictionary, regarded as a catalogue of words. This depends upon judicious selection. There are thousands of words used coloquially, or in newspapers, or belonging to the repertory of slang, whose incorporation in a work claiming to be an *arbiter elegantiarum* of speech would be either needless or positively objectionable. To use the language of a reviewer in the *Atlantic*, "A Dictionary is not a drag-net to bring up for us the broken pots and dead kittens, the sewerage of speech as well as its live fishes" But what else than "the sewerage of speech" are such words as *slubber-de gullion, jiggumbob, scrimption, fiddle de-dee, imperiwigged, circumbendibus*, and hundreds of others contained in Worcester, that we forbear to mention, which are not only "low," but indecent. Then what purpose is served—except it be the desire of the publisher for "verbal opulence"—by the introduction of compounds whose meaning is entirely obvious. For example, *out-act, out babble, out brag, out blaze, out-brag, out-brazen, un-tellable, untriumphable, un-uplifted, un wormwooded, un-vulgarized, un-ruinable*. The compounds of the single adverb *out* number, in Worcester, 305, and if the principle adopted had been fully carried out, might with equal propriety have been made 3,005. WEBSTER gives 255 derivatives of *out*, so that WORCESTER gives 50 more compounds from a single adverb, and a similar proportion will be found to exist in many other instances.

The reviewer of the TIMES refers to a catalogue of 1,500 new words not in Dr. WEBSTER'S Dictionary. He also gives several of these "new words," which he does not find in either Webster or Worcester. If he had looked in the "Pictorial" Webster he would have found nearly all the words of which he regrets the omission in Worcester, together with some thousands of "new words"—not slang terms—which he does not mention, and which are not in Worcester. Among those which he does instance as not found in either, but which *are* in Webster, his statement to the contrary notwithstanding, are "loot," "razzia," "basque," "editorial," "telegraph," "scientist," "garroter," &c. In another place he remarks that "it would be instructive in this light to note the number of words which have first received dictionary honors at the hands of Dr. WORCESTER." But we submit that it is more instructive still to note how completely, in making up this article, he has neglected even to look into the book on on which he sits in judgment. The most charitable supposition is, that he used an old edition of Webster in making the comparison, for if he had taken the trouble to refer to the new edition—published some eight months previous to WORCESTER'S Quarto—he would have found the words "placer," "nugget," "outsider," "comeouter," "telegram," "buncombe," "crinoline," "pretentious," "stingy," "hypnotism," and "revolver," all of which, according to his statement, "first received dictionary honors at the hands of Dr. WORCESTER.

In the selection of scientific terms Dr. WORCESTER has been even more unfortunate than in the words which belong to the general vocabulary. The necessity of introducing into a hand dictionary those terms of the different sciences which have enriched our speech with so many noble and expressive symbols, is generally admitted. But in the selection of these terms even a nicer discrimination is necessary than in the case of words which make up the staple of the language. A mere mechanical selection is of no practical utility—is inadequate for the *savant*, worse than useless for the general reader. In this class of terms in WORCESTER no principle of selection is discoverable. For example, AGASSIZ'S *Nomenclator Zoologicus* lies on our table; running our eye down its columns, and bringing WORCESTER'S Dictionary into comparison with it, we find that he has about one out of every twenty of its terms, taken according to a law of selection about as systematic as a lottery. Thus he has "bacillus," but not "bacis;" "cephalopada," but not "cephalophera;" didinae," but not "diopatra," or "didelphidae," &c. Now, we do not wish to break a respectful public's head with these *sesquipedalia verba*, but we submit that the excluded are quite as essential and quite as deserving of dictionary honors as the included. We remember to have seen a short time since, a notice of PAGE'S *Handbook of Geology*, in the TIMES, subsequently to the appearance of the review of the dictionaries. If we mistake not, the two articles betray the same handiwork, and so, at a venture, we will quote our critic against himself. In the review of the *Handbook* he says, with admirable point: "Comparing it with PAGE'S *Handbook*, we estimate that WORCESTER inserts in his Quarto about one-third of the vocabulary of that science. And here, again, the principle of selection is utterly incomprehensible. It is presumed that any one geologic formation is of equal scientific value with any other, that fossils do not surpass each other in glory, and that animals possessed of a member or function, of which a less-favored cotemporary is deprived, should not be raised to lexicographic peerage merely on that account. Yet, WORCESTER honors the variety of felspar known as 'albite,' with a place and a definition, while 'altaite' is contemptuously denied existence. He inserts the genus 'ophidia,' which are all tail, and cruelly snubs the 'anoura,' which are tailless. He gives us 'baculite, (a conical shell of the chalk epoch,) but ignores 'bactrite,' (a *sub*-conical shell of the Devonian epoch.)"

Now, what is true of these sciences is true of all others, and in looking into various special vocabularies—technological, mathematical, legal, &c.—we notice everywhere this enormous inadequacy, thousands of valuable words being omitted, and other thousands which should have no place in a hand dictionary being included, with positively no principle of selection above what a child, or a person ignorant of these sciences, would be supposed to exercise.

Equally unsatisfactory is the vocabulary of obsolete words. The London Philological Society has recently published, as the foundation of its proposed English Dictionary, "A Glossorial Index to the Printed Literature of the Tairteenth Century." This inventory includes about 7,000 words—the entire literary stock in trade of that epoch. In bringing WORCESTER into comparison with this list, we find that he has only about every other word. With regard to this, it is a matter of some doubt, it must be confessed, to what extent obsolete words should be included in a hand-dictionary; and Dr. WORCESTER or his collaborators seem to have hit upon a middle course, and have included enough to be an incumbrance to one who wants next to none of this class of words, and a continual offence to those who desire the whole. Indeed, throughout the entire work there seems a lack of *system*, a lack of a comprehensive mind to give unity and consistency. It seems rather to have been the work of independent collaborators, each contributing to the odd mosaic his bit of cement or of glass or marble—or gems, it may be—which we more than half suspect to have been the case. So much for Vocabulary.

As to Etymology, our critic is so discerning in his statement of principles, it is unfortunate he did not make a full application of them. He says, "respecting comparative roots, there is certainly a plain rule, that they should be limited to those from which the English word is known mediately or immediately to be derived, and to such others as by their form or their force serve to throw light on its mechanism or its meaning;" and further, that "unless the foreign root has some vital connection with the English word under treatment, it is simply a piece of pretentious pedantry to introduce it into an English Lexicon." Yet a few paragraphs before, he has said in a half compliment that one has in WORCESTER'S Dictionary to cut his way through a thicket of Welsh, Gaelic, Dutch, Danish, German, Italian and Spanish vocables, amid which we fear all but the most resolute explorers will get lost." To this enumeration of vocables he might have added Gothic, Icelandic, Swedish, Maeso-Gothic, Suio-Gothic, Irish, Finnish, Frisaic, etc., etc. But for all this he prefaces his notice of WORCESTER'S etymologies by the statement that "with WORCESTER we get into science and sanity."

Now, the truth of the matter is that neither WEBSTER nor WORCESTER take us into this delectable region, so far as eytmologies are concerned. Both depart from the canon so judiciously laid down by the reviewer, as to the introduction of comparative roots; but WORCESTER in a greater degree than WEBSTER. WEBSTER'S etymologies, however, were fully up with the learning of the time in which they were prepared, and bristle with suggestion. WORCESTER, with all the lights of the new philology, has followed WEBSTER, copying both his method and most of his errors. "making confusion worse confounded" with his "thickets of vocables" taken from all imaginable vocabularies, and heaped up indiscriminately.

Of positive historical etymology, Dr. WORCESTER, in common with most other lexicographers, gives us very little, even less than WEBSTER, and yet, as our reviewer well says, "there is no information for which a dictionary is so often applied to, as that which respects the origin and history of words;" and it is certainly among the chief aims which a lexicographer should propose to himself, to give a clear and full account of the causes—frequently complex enough—which have shaped them into their current meanings. When Dr. WORCESTER gratifies the ingenuous mind by telling it that the English "pretext" comes from the Latin *prætextum*, whose meaning he gives no clue to, he really tells the ingenuous mind nothing at all, even though he adds: "It., *pretesto*; Sp., *pretexto*; Fr., *prétexte*; the etymology is all beyond this, and its history is briefly this: *Prætextum* is a compound of præ, *before* and texo, *to weave*. At the age of 17, the Roman youth of quality assumed the *toga virilis*, up to that age having worn the dress called *toga prætexta*, which was a white garment bordered with purple—*prætexta* meaning woven before. Now, as the *toga prætexta* was the dress used *to cover* the body, so in process of time the word *prætextus* was used to signify a *cover* to conceal the thoughts, hence our "pretext," a color or cloak disguising the real motive.

It, indeed, words, in passing from one language to another, preserved, unchanged, the precise shade and shape of their original signification, then the simple etymology would suffice to explain their total meaning. But how different is it. Words have assumed their present force by lapsing through a succession of closely-allied meanings and we have no large or available understanding of them until we firmly hold this chain of historical affinities. There are words that come to us from the elder times, which, like the primitive rocks that have forced their way up through the bulwarks of the world, bear in their structure significant records of all the strata through which they have passed.

"Resign," for example, WORCESTER tells us, comes from "resigno, to sign again or back. Does the reader see any connection between our verb to "resign" (to give up, or surrender) and *that* Etymon? It would be hard. On the contrary, it comes from *resigno*, to unseal, (and in BLOUNT'S *Glossographia*, 1656, "resignation" is defined as an *unsealing*) and the chain of historical affinities is this. When a Roman made his will, it was tied up with thread and sealed; if he desired to alter it, he broke the seal, (resignare,) whence "resign" came to mean to yield up, in order to be canceled.

As the etymology of "porcelain," we find in WORCESTER'S *Dictionary* simply the Italian, Spanish and French form of the word; further elucidation there is none. It chances that it is connected neither with the Italian, Spanish, nor French form, but with the *Portuguese*, as we shall presently see. JOHNSON, who used an interleaved copy of BAILEY'S *Dictionary* in the compilation of his, takes BAILEY'S absurd etymology, from the French *pour cent années*, (for a hundred years,) because it was believed the material from which porcelain was made, was matured under ground a hundred years. BAILEY took it from SCALIGER, and SCALIGER—from whom? We have traced it no further. But had JOHNSON taken the trouble to consult BLOUNT'S *Glossographia*, he would have found that it was "erroneously so believed."

And now for the true history of the word. In consequence of the aid afforded by the Portuguese to the Chinese against the pirates who infested their coasts, they obtained from the Chinese liberty to establish a settlement at Macao, and from thence, by way of Portugal, (not Spain or Italy,) Chinese ware was imported into Europe, and called *porcellana*, the name given by the Portuguese in the East to the cowrie-shells, and which name was transferred to the Chinese cups, as indicative of their transparent, shell-like texture. (It is noticeable that "porcelain" is still the name of a shell in English; and HOLLAND'S *Pliny*, speaking of the manufacture of paper, says: "It is polished with some tooth, or else with a *porcellane* shell.") But what is the origin of the Portuguese *porcellana*? It has nothing whatever to do with *pour cent années*, but is from the Latin *porcus*, a pig, and applied to the cowrie from the fancied resemblance of these shells to pigs.

Of the words in WORCESTER'S *Dictionary*, which illustrate still further this point, we may mention "concert," "grimace," "bachelor," "God," "gist," "gazette," "greyhound," "freemason," "commodore," "cash," "cherry," "pedagogue," "prerogative," "stationer," "superstition," "typhoon," "jews-harp," "nosegay," "foolscap," &c.

A want of acquaintance with early senses is frequently apparent. Thus of "cannon," he does not seem to be aware that, as applied by us to the greater pieces of ordnance, it is but a *specific*—the *generic* sense being the barrels of guns, pistols, &c.; and in this generic sense it was used no longer ago than the reign of JAMES I.

We see from BLOUNT that the word "cabal" was in the early part of the seventeenth century rather a term of respect than otherwise; and from a passage in *Piers Plowman*, where the author speaks of "many a *fals treuthe*," we gather that the word "truth" was in the early ages of English literature used in a much freer sense than now—implying merely an *opinion* without any force of absolute veracity; thus verifying HORNE TOOKE'S derivation, that truth is primarily just what one *troweth* or believeth.

Lost orthographies, also, when there is in them anything that is remarkable, should be preserved in a dictionary. For instance, when we see that HOLLAND, in his translation of *Pliny*, always spells "lettuce" *lecture*, we have an important transition form leading us back to the Latin *lactuca*, (*lac*, milk,) on account of the milky sap which flows when the plants are cut. So, we would have Dr. WORCESTER tell us that "currants" was once spelled *corinths*, thus preserving for us the fact that they came from Corinth. At times, too, very curious facts are recorded in these old disguises. For example, the word which we write "abominable" we find in the *Promptorium Parvulorum* (the earliest of English Dictionaries, printed in 1499,) written *abhominable*, thus preserving a mistake of some early etymologist who imagined the word to be derived from *ab* and *homo*, repugnant to a man, instead of from *ab* and *omen*—that which should be turned away from as of ill omen! Information of this kind is all rich spoil for a Dictionary, and should be carefully collected.

The subject of definitions is one that hardly admits of a satisfactory treatment in a newspaper article. The general preference for WEBSTER'S *Dictionary* as a definer is the best evidence of the excellence of this department of the work. The distinctive difference between the two, as can be easily determined by reference, is that WEBSTER defines by description by holding up the *idea* which the word under treatment represents;—WORCESTER by synonym. The latter is unsatisfactory, inasmuch as the object of reference, in nine cases out of ten, is to determine the precise difference in the *idea* represented by two or more so-called synonymous words. Still further as almost no two words are *synonyms*, strictly speaking, the method of defining by giving what are called synonyms must be, from the nature of the case, unsatisfactory and imperfect. A single illustration will suffice. In WEBSTER we find "death" defined as

"That state of a being, animal or vegetable, but more particularly of an animal, in which there is total and permanent cessation of all the vital functions, where the organs have not only ceased to act, but have lost the susceptibility of renewed action. Thus the cessation of respiration and of circulation in an animal may not be Death; for during hybernation some animals become entirely torpid, and some animals and vegetables may be subjected to a fixed state by frost, but being capable of revived activity, they are not dead."

Now, contrast with the above the "definition" of WORCESTER:

"Death—extinction of life; entire loss of vitality; that state of an organized being in which all its natural functions have ceased to act; mortality; decease; demise; dissolution; departure."

Now, to say that death is "extinction of life," is to say nothing in the way of definition, while the statement that it is "the condition of an organized being in which all its natural functions have ceased to act" would include the states of hybernation, trance, and some other abnormal conditions. As for the words given as equivalent "dissolution," &c., they are just as satisfactory, and contribute to the elucidation of the idea just as much as it would to tell one who asked the definition of *truth*, that it was "veracity." This definition is partial, not exhaustive, and expresses conditions which might be attendant upon states of organized beings other than that of death. That of WEBSTER marks clearly the precise difference between the *idea* associated with the word "death" as contrasted with "life;" states the *necessary* conditions attendant upon it, rigidly excluding all others. His choice of the word *vital* rather than natural, adds to the sharpness of relief of the definition, and is an illustration of that intuitive nicety of perception which marks him as the possessor of an extraordinary genius in definition, whatever his merits or demerits otherwise may have been.

As to the systems of orthography represented in the two Dictionaries, probably no chapter in literary history will present a more amusing record than that which preserves the controversy which has grown up regarding them. To read the criticisms on Dr. WEBSTER'S spelling, one would suppose that he had undertaken to champion a complete system of phonetics; that he was the very genius of innovation run wild. But the fact is that the "innovations" of Dr. WEBSTER were no innovations at all;—in most instances a restoration or adoption of old or partially prevailing forms. For example, the forms *theater, specter*, etc., were universal in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, and have the sanction of such names as Sir Isaac Newton, Pope, Milton, Camden and Bolingbroke, and the spelling *center* is used by the best English mathematicians at the present time. Do those who contend for the double *l* in *traveler* consider that this word and its twenty-seven associates now stand alone the sole survivors of their class of hundreds formerly spelled with the double consonant? Lowth, Ash, Perry and Walker had all favored the doing away with this anomalous spelling, and the reduction of these words to the analogy of the class to which they belong. Mr. WORCESTER himself concedes this point with regard to some of these words, viz.: the derivatives of *benefit, bias*, etc.; and says with reference to *traveler* that "it only requires the authority of usage to make this the preferable spelling." Our reviewer remarks that "it is curious that WEBSTER'S success has been advanced only by receding from his system." "Curious," indeed, for the fact is that the present editions of WEBSTER conform in spelling *strictly* to not only the earlier, but the *first* editions of that work. The truth is, further, that Mr. WORCESTER has continually approached WEBSTER. The following list of words, taken from only the three first letters of the alphabet, in the several editions of WORCESTER'S *Dictionary*, and this not an exhaustive list, is a curious illustration of the claim to superior consistency put forth in its behalf. In the editions of '27, '30, '35, '46, '47, '55 and '60, respectively, the following mutations occurred in the spelling of the several words given, but in every instance these mutations cease by the words taking the *Websterian* spelling: *Abridgement, Abridgment; Adjudgement, Adjudgment; Admittable, Admittible; Admittable, Admittible; Adz, Adze; Apprize, Apprise; Ascendency, Ascendancy; Ascendency, Ascendancy; Arbour, Arbor; Balister, Bailster; Balister, Ballister: Bellflower, Bellflower; Bellflower, Bellflower; Belman, Bellman; Belringer, Bellringer; Belringer, Bellringer; Benum, Benumb; Bequeath, Bequeathe, Bequeath; Bucanier, Bucanier*, or *Bucaneer, Bucaneer; Calipers, Calipers: Caligraphy, Calligraphy; Camieu, Cameo; Cannoneer, Cannonier, Cannoneer; Canvass, (Cloth,) Canvass, or Canvas, Canvas: Cathartick, Cathartic; Criticise, Criticize, Criticise; Castellan, Castellain, Castellan; Catechise, Catechize, Catechise; Chymistry, Chemistry.*

In every one of the above words, with the exception of *Admittable* and of *Ascendancy*, WORCESTER finally adopts the spelling given by WEBSTER in his first edition, and adhered to in each successive edition. And they are only illustrations of the general fact. The list could be swelled to hundreds.

Now we have no particular relations of friendship for Dr. WEBSTER'S *Dictionary* beyond that general feeling of kindness which is apt to grow up towards one who has proved a good servant, and that arising from attachment to our noble English speech, and to whatever tends to establish uniformity and consistency in its use. Great good has resulted from this "Dictionary war." The structure and functions of language, as well as the subject of lexicography, are becoming better understood. The popular, as well as the scientific idea, of what a Dictionary should be, has been raised. Neither WEBSTER nor WORCESTER come up to this idea. WEBSTER possesses preeminent merits as a *definer*, and is *suggestive* in etymology but not philosophical. WORCESTER'S definitions are unsatisfactory, his etymologies are unphilosophical without being suggestive, and the entire work seems wanting in consistency and comprehensiveness of plan. The Dictionary of the English language which shall hold the place that JOHNSON and WEBSTER have held, *is yet to be made*. WEBSTER offers the best foundation for such a work, inasmuch as its definitions, which constitute the basis of a Dictionary, are hardly to be surpassed, and it has beside the advantages of already holding the field, and being the universally recognized arbiter of speech. Much has been done by the publishers of WEBSTER in the way of meeting the public demand, by inserting Illustrations, Synonyms, and Appendices containing scientific terms and new words. But nothing less than an entirely new edition, with a thorough revision of the department of etymology, and a distribution of the matter contained in the various *prolegomena* and *epiligomena*, throughout the body of the work, will fully sustain the reputation of WEBSTER or discharge the obligations imposed by popular favor upon his publishers.

THE COMMENCEMENT SEASON.

Exercises at Bowdoin.

The Commencement exercises at Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Me., took place on Wednesday last. N. E. BOYD, of Portland, delivered the Latin Salutatory, and Mr. S. C. BELCHER, of Farmington, the Valedictory.

The degree of A. B. was conferred on fifty five members of the Graduating Class, and that of A. M. on thirty previous graduates of the Institution.

The following honorary degrees were conferred:

D. D.—John J. Butler, A. D. Wheeler, Alpheus S. Packard.

LL. D—Nathan Clifford, Daniel Goodenow, John Appleton.

Honorary A. M—J. Wingate Thornton.

Honorary A. B.—B. F. Morrison, Thomas K. Noble.

President WOODS presided at the Commencement dinner, and speeches were made by Gov. MORRILL, Prof. HITCHCOCK, of Union Theological Seminary, Hon. S. P. BENSON, and by Rev. Mr. WHITTLESEY, of Bath.

At the meeting of the Board of Trustees, W. J. MALTBY, of Bangor, was elected Professor of Modern Languages; ISRAEL T. DANA, M. D., Professor of Materia Medica and Therapeutics, and TIMOTHY CHILDS, M. D., Professor of Surgery, in place of Dr. PEASLEE, resigned.

An appropriation of $1,000, if so much is needed, was made to print a catalogue of the College Library. An appropriation of $2,000 was voted for the purchase of the Minerals of the late Professor CLEAVELAND. It was voted that the north wing of the chapel be finished for the use of the College Library, and Commons Hall be converted into a gymnasium for the use of students.

Some discussion was had in relation to the building of a medical college. The conditions affixed by the Legislature to the grant of land are not entirely satisfactory. It was voted that if these conditions were changed that the Boards would appropriate $5,000 towards the building of such college; would appropriate $600 without change, provided the friends of the school would give a like amount.

The Anniversary of Jefferson College.

The commencement exercises of Jefferson College at Cannonsburgh, Pa., were held during the last week. On Sunday evening Rev. MOSES A. HOGE, of Zanesville, Ohio, preached before the religious societies from Galations, vi., 7: "Faith worketh by love." His subject was "*Christian Philanthropy*." Rev. J. J. MARKS, D. D., on Tuesday afternoon delivered an address, reviewing the history of the College. The Alumni meeting followed, and in the evening Rev. JONATHAN EDWARDS, D. D., spoke before the Literary Societies on the "*Idea and Limitation of the Aesthetic*." The Commencement exercises proper occurred on Wednesday, A. M. WHITE, of Cannonsburgh, Pa., delivering the English Salutatory, DAVID PATTON, of New-Castle, that in Latin, and ROLAND THOMPSON, of Milroy, the Valedictory.

Dr. ALDEN, the President of the College, then conferred the Degrees in the Latin language on 48 graduates.

The following Honorary Degrees were conferred: D. D., Rev. John Patton, Philadelphia; Rev. Robert McMurray, President of Shelby College, Ky.; Rev. Wm. M. Paxton, Pittsburgh. A. M., on Rev. David McKee, Principal of Leechburg Academy; Thomas W. Pierce, Wheeling, Va., Wm. H. Reeves, Huntsville, Texas; David Macheaney, M. D., Illinois; Rev. Geo. W. Mechling, Dayton; Joseph M. Foster, West Fairfield, and J. M. Kennedy.

University of Vermont.

Commencement exercises at this Institution were held last week. President PEASE delivered the Baccalaureate address on Sunday afternoon, from Matthew 9, 19: "According to your faith be it unto you." In the evening Rev. Dr. CUTTING, of Rochester, addressed the Society for Religious Inquiry.

On Tuesday afternoon, there was a meeting of the Alumni. Hon. HENRY J. RAYMOND presided. After prayer, offered by Rev. J. C. DWINELL, of Salem, Mass., Hon. E. C. PALMER, of St. Pauls, Minnesota, delivered an oration. He spoke of New-England, and New-Englandism as an element of American civilization.

Wednesday, August 1, was Commencement day. The names of the graduates and their subjects were:

"Faith in the People, the Ground of National Strength." Norman Paul, Woodstock.

"The Spirit of Man, as the Interpreter of the Beautiful in nature." Hiram Carleton, Bar

POLITICAL.

Letter from Hon. John Bell.

HE DECLINES TO MAKE ANY NEW DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES.

Hon. JOHN BELL has written the following letter to Col. THOMAS H. WATTS, of Montgomery, Ala., who addressed him a note of inquiry regarding his indorsement of the American and Whig Platform in February, 1856:

NASHVILLE, July 22, 1860.

DEAR SIR: Your letter of the 9th inst. was received ten days since, and it is due to you, as well as myself, to state the causes which have delayed my answer to this late day, to explain what otherwise might be imputed to me as a discourtesy. Such a statement is due to numerous other gentlemen who, in the last month or six weeks, have addressed letters of inquiry to me, from different quarters of the country, as to my views and opinions on the more prominent questions at issue in the pending canvass, and which have received no answer.

To the inquiries in all such letters there was but one reply, as I conceived, which could consistently and properly be made under the circumstances of my position; which was, to refer the writers to my past course; to the views and opinions I have heretofore held and expressed on the subjects or questions embraced in their letters. But it appeared to me that a reply, containing nothing more than such a general reference, without pointing out the particular votes, speeches, and other evidences of what I had said or done in connection with the questions made the subjects of inquiry, or stating where they were to be found, would be ungracious to say the least of it. To make such references in my answers would far exceed the ordinary limits of a letter, and I concluded that it would be more convenient and satisfactory to both parties to accompany my answers with a printed collection of such of my speeches and letters as have a direct bearing upon the subjects of controversy, or of such copious extracts therefrom as to leave nothing to be supplied by further quotations from them. The preparation of such a compilation was immediately commenced by a member of the Central Union Committee of Tennessee. It is now completed, and I transmit herewith a copy of it, printed in the "National Union." It was issued from the Press a week later than was anticipated by me, and hence my answer to your letter as well as to others, has been delayed a week beyond the time I had proposed to myself to answer them.

For the reasons which impel me to decline any further answer to the inquiries in your letter, I refer you to the first and second pages of the "National Union." You will observe that the ground there taken is, that it would be inconsistent with the declared views of the Convention which placed me in the position I now occupy before the public, to make any new declaration of principles. But I do not choose to shelter myself under the authority of the nominating Convention against any reproach I may incur in consequence of the course I have thought it my duty to pursue in relation to this subject. Had I been a member of the Convention, I would have resisted the adoption of any platform, or other declaration of principles, not embraced or implied in the three fundamental propositions or objects intended to be maintained and secured by the National Union Party, and which constitute the basis of its organization: "The Constitution, The Union, and the Enforcement of the Laws." The great aim of the National Union Party is, to restore peace, with justice to both sections of the Union—not to perpetuate strife. Whatever may be the policy or designs of others, North and South, who, in their letters, have insisted upon their right, as a matter of principle, to call upon me to declare my views and opinions upon any and all the questions which have become the subject of controversy in the present canvass, and contend that I cannot refuse compliance with their demand without a violation of the obligation they assume to exist, on my part, as a candidate for public place, I have no distrust of your sincerity and good faith in making the earnest appeals to me, which you do in your letter, to take a course which I hope you will, upon reflection, perceive would not be in conformity with the intentions and expectations of those who chose me to be their leader, and the representative of their policy and principles; nor do I doubt your sincere desire to support the Union ticket if you can do so consistently with your sense of public duty. It is, therefore, with deep regret that I find myself constrained to differ with you in any of your views, and most of all, to have to say to you, that I cannot go beyond the record of my political life, in responding to the questions presented in your letter.

If, in the public exposition of my course upon the subject of Slavery, running through a period of twenty-five years, you can find nothing to inspire you with confidence that, in the event of my election, I would so employ the power and influence of the Executive Department of the Government as to give no just ground of complaint to the South or any other section of the Union, while I would regret the loss of your support and that of your friends, I could not reasonably expect to receive it.

You are at liberty to make any use of this letter you may think proper.

I am, with great respect, and the most friendly regard, Your obedient servant,

JOHN BELL.

Col. THOMAS H. WATTS.

Political Miscellany.

Mr. DOUGLAS has stopped speaking. Senator DOUGLAS regards Newport as neutral ground. The following is the speech which he made in reply to an address of welcome from Mayor CRANSTON, of that city:

Mr. MAYOR: You will accept my thanks for the cordial welcome you have extended to me in behalf of the people of Newport. I come among you not as a politician, not as an aspirant for the Presidency, but as a visitor to this place for recreation. I look upon Newport, Sir, as ground consecrated to the whole country. It is common ground, where the people of all the States and Territories assemble in pursuit of amusement and health. Far be it from me to disturb the peace and harmony of this social circle by mingling with it any political strife. I trust that during my stay here I shall be received as a citizen and not as a politician. I wish to banish politics from the place. I would not have come, but that I thought to leave political excitement behind me. You have done me no more than justice in saying that the fatigues and efforts of the last few days have deprived me of the physical strength necessary to make myself heard by this vast audience. I shall not, therefore, enlarge on the topics to which you have referred, or detain this audience by any more extended remarks.

MAYOR CRANSTON—I assure you, Sir, that during your stay here to the utmost of my ability you shall be defended from politicians.

MAYOR WOOD'S APPEARANCE ANNOUNCED.—Some time between the 16th and 25th of the present month there is to be a grand Democratic demonstration at Clifton Springs. Mayor WOOD has promised to be present and make an address.

A NEW ARRANGEMENT—MR. ABRAHAM LINCOLN QUIETLY DISPOSED OF.—Under this heading a correspondent of the Boston *Courier* writes from New-Orleans, under date of July 28: "Hon. MILES TAYLOR, Chairman of the Douglas National Committee, has been here, and the Bell and Everett Party have agreed with him to run but one ticket—half Douglas and half Bell electors. The same agreement has been made in Alabama, Georgia and Mississippi, and will no doubt extend to all the other Southern States. Should New-York go for the combination ticket, then Mr. EVERETT will be our next President. The Douglas men have agreed to vote for BELL in case by so doing they can throw the election into the Senate, as between HAMLIN and EVERETT. The great increase of the Bell and Everett Party in the South is surprising every one. The fact is both the Douglas and Breckinridge men are willing to compromise on BELL and EVERETT. I see no prospect for Mr. LINCOLN with the three parties in New-York united against him. New-Jersey is now looked upon as certain for BRECKINRIDGE, and JOHN SLIDELL thinks he can get Pennsylvania. To-night there are to be a large number of Bell clubs formed, and next week our season for processions will commence."

A PROMISE FULFILLED.—Hon. D. D. BARNARD has fulfilled to the letter the promise which he recently made, to declare at length his position on the questions of the day. The *Atlas and Argus* publishes an eight-column communication from him, which is divided into fifteen sections, probably to make it seem less formidable for Midsummer reading. Various citations are made from the writings and speeches of Messrs. LINCOLN, SEWARD and GIDDINGS, to prove that the Republican Party is sectional in its aims, and that if it comes into power it will inevitably array the North against the South. Mr. BARNARD concludes his manifesto with the following paragraph:

"Of course, I hold it to be the first and highest duty of every man, holding such views as I have expressed, to labor for the defeat of the nominee of the Republican Party for President. That being accomplished, there is nothing that can possibly follow as the result, in filling the office of President for the ensuing four years, whether by the Electoral Colleges, or by the House of Representatives, or the Senate, which would not be accepted by me as a blessed boon to the country in comparison with the election of Mr. LINCOLN. For a thousand reasons I prefer to stand, and that the country should stand, with BELL and EVERETT, on 'the Constitution, the Union, and the Enforcement of the Laws.' But, while never losing sight of this object, and keeping their eventual success always in view as at least possible, if not probable, I shall not hesitate for a moment to unite, in the State of New-York, with any party or any men, if national and patriotic in their organization and purposes, on just and proper terms, for the certain accomplishment of that which I hold to be the first object of this political campaign—the defeat of Mr. LINCOLN and the Republican Party. His defeat in New-York saves the country, let what else follow that may."

A MOVEMENT IN FAVOR OF MR. DOUGLAS IN NORTH CAROLINA.—Mr. ROBERT P. DICK, the member of the Douglas National Executive Committee for North Carolina, has issued a call for a State Convention to nominate an electoral ticket. Mr. DICK says:

"The excited political contest in which the people of the State have been engaged since the adjournment of the National Convention has caused the postponement of this call to the present time. I can now, without fear of embarrassing our local elections, appeal to the friends of DOUGLAS and JOHNSON—the nominees of the National Democracy—throughout the State, to arouse themselves to action—to rally to the support of those tried friends of the Constitution and the Union—to stand firmly and boldly by the flag of the National Democratic Party—unawed by dictation from the Administration at Washington City on the one hand, or the Yancy Secessionists on the other. Whatever politicians may have said or done—however willing and ready some of them may have been to commit our good old State to the purposes and fortunes of the secession ticket, the people of the Democratic Party have never yielded their willing assent or approval, but have been waiting anxiously the opportunity to speak out boldly in behalf of the national nominees of their party. To all such I appeal. Come together, National Democrats, friends of DOUGLAS and JOHNSON, on Thursday, the 30th of this month, and let us take council, and determine what duty and patriotism—devotion to the Constitution and the Union—demand from us, in the present threatening aspect of political affairs."

WITHDRAWS HIS DECLINATION.—Mr. FRANCIS A. HOFFMAN has yielded to the urgent solicitation of political friends and consented to run as a candidate for the Lieutenant-Governorship in Illinois.

ELECTION BRIBERY.—The Rhode Island Baptist Ministerial Conference has had under consideration the subject of election bribery. Very strangely the Committee say in their report: "Whatever, therefore, may be the personal or party gain, political bribery, being so injurious to the public morals, and so destructive to the political institutions of the Nation, the members of this Conference earnestly and kindly urge men of all political parties, by their regard for the statute law which these bribes violate, and by their love for the Government they endanger, to discountenance an evil so pernicious, and to employ every consistent influence to preserve the sacredness and integrity of the ballot-box. And, in the opinion of this Conference, freemen are morally bound to attend the primary as well as the general meetings, and deposit their ballots in accordance with their judgment, else they are answerable for the issue of the elections. A juror is no more bound to discharge his duty intelligently and independently to his country and his God, than a freeman is to fulfill his trust to himself and the community, and in no other manner can our present Government be preserved. The recommendations of the Committee were unanimously indorsed.

SENATOR COBB TO ENTER THE CANVASS.—The Columbus *Times* announces that Hon. HOWELL COBB is to address the people of Muscogee, Ga., on the 11th, in behalf of BRECKINRIDGE and LANE. There are rumors that Senator DOUGLAS will combat the Senator in person.

THE CAMPAIGN IN VERMONT.—Judge CULVER addressed the Republicans of Burlington, Vt., on the evening of the 2d inst. After he had concluded there were earnest calls for Hon. H. J. RAYMOND, who was in the room. Mr. RAYMOND said he could not follow the gentleman who had just addressed them with any formal speech; they were now in an excited, wakeful condition, and he did not wish to put them to sleep. He would, however, indorse what Judge CULVER had said about the necessity for the Republican Party, and the success of LINCOLN. The doctrine of the Republican Party that Congress had the rightful power to legislate for the Territories of the United States, he thought indisputable. It was involved in the very essence of the Government itself. Still, he was disposed to allow the people of the Territories a large scope in shaping for themselves their laws and institutions; but he did not believe that sort of popular sovereignty which the ruling party had endeavored to establish in Kansas—a sovereignty under which the people were not to be allowed to exclude Slavery, but were dragooned by the officers and forces of the General Government to make them adopt Slavery. He believed there could be no peace for the country till the Republican Party should come into power. He would be glad to have the agitation of the Slavery question quieted; but that would never be done by the Democratic Party. Promising for years to stop it, that party had been incessantly agitating it, and making aggressions for the benefit of Slavery which always must provoke, and always ought to provoke resistance. Moreover, he saw no way to prevent the re-opening of the Slave-trade, but by having the Republican Party come into power. The attempt to defeat the election of LINCOLN was an attempt to defeat *any election whatever by the people*. It was a question between LINCOLN or *no one*. A defeat of LINCOLN, if possible, would only insure the occupation of the President's Chair by JOSEPH LANE, of OREGON, as Vice-President—LANE, one of the most unblushing tools of the Southern Oligarchy which the country contains. Mr. RAYMOND adverted to and confirmed what was said of the warm heart and honesty of ABRAHAM LINCOLN, by Judge CULVER, and added that he was also a man of large views and eminent intellectual ability. Mr. RAYMOND's brief address was loudly cheered, and the meeting broke up at a late hour.

HOW SENATOR FITZPATRICK CAME TO BE NOMINATED FOR VICE-PRESIDENT.—The Editor of the Montgomery (Ala.) *Confederation*, who took a prominent part in securing the nomination of Senator FITZPATRICK for Vice-President, publishes a long statement of his reasons for the course he took. He called on Mr. FITZPATRICK on June 23d, told him he thought Mr. DOUGLAS would be nominated, and hinted at the possibility of the use of his name as candidate for the Vice-Presidency. Mr. FITZPATRICK seemed much perplexed, but after a long conversation, in the course of which a friend was called in, stated positively that he would not accept the nomination, unless upon a sound platform and a majority of two-thirds of the Convention. He was very particular with regard to the last-named condition. In the absence of any subsequent communication by telegraph or letter from Senator FITZPATRICK, it was understood that he would be willing to run, and he was accordingly nominated.

SECRETALY COBB RECEIVES NOTICE TO QUIT.—Mr. EBENEZER JAYNE, keeper of Life Saving Station No. 17, on the Coast of Long Island, received notice from Secretary COBB a few days ago, that his services would be required no longer. The following answer was returned to Mr. COBB by Mr. JAYNE:

SIR: I take this public method of thanking you for your zeal in proscribing members of the Democratic Party who have the manly independence to speak and act for themselves. I have been quite long enough disgraced by holding office under a nigger driving Administration, and have therefore much reason to congratulate you for my removal. Meantime, however, you will please take notice that the freemen (not slaves) of whom I am one, have come to the wise conclusion to dispense with your services next November. You will therefore hold yourself in readiness to make your final exit on the 4th day of March next, 12 o'clock at noon. Allow me here to add for your special edification that while you are quarreling about your sectional differences, professing not to care whether Slavery is voted up or down, and making war upon "Honest Old ABE" the "Rail Splitter," there are hundreds, nay thousands, who have heretofore acted with your party delighted with the idea of setting on his PERCH. Very respectfully yours,

EBENEZER JAYNE.

HON. C. L. VALLANDIGHAM ON THE STUMP.—Hon. C. L. VALLANDIGHAM, of Ohio, addressed the Democrats of Detroit, on Wednesday evening. He reviewed the issues of the campaign at length, touching briefly upon the invasion of Virginia by JOHN BROWN, and concluded by counting the chances which the Republicans had of electing their candidate. Rhode Island, Indiana, Illinois and California, he claimed Mr. LINCOLN could not carry. These thirty-two electoral votes lost, he would be defeated, and to them it was more than probable, those of OREGON would be added.

THE LESSON OF THE NORTH CAROLINA ELECTION.—The Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati *Gazette* makes the following comments on the North Carolina election:

The presumption is that the Douglas men, though numerically small, have, under instructions from Washington, quietly voted for the Opposition candidate for Governor, thus swelling his vote beyond the real strength of the Bell and Everett Party. It forms part of a deeply laid scheme, concocted by the Douglas and Bell-Everett managers, to cooperate against BRECKINRIDGE at the South, and LINCOLN at the North, and thus defeating, if possible, the election of LINCOLN by the people, and placing BRECKINRIDGE last upon the list of candidates who would go up to the House of Representatives. By the same means EVERETT and HAMLIN will go before the Senate as candidates. In case the House does not effect an election where it is anticipated, EVERETT will be chosen. Supposing such a scheme to be successful, an Administration sustained by such incongruous and discordant elements, could only result in total failure. You may, however, depend upon it that some such desperate effort has been resolved upon by the Douglas and Bell camp-followers, and that wherever they can assist each other they will do so. It remains to be seen whether the Americans of the North can be thus transformed into the petty tools of the men who have denounced them for years.

AN ADDRESS FROM TAMMANY HALL.—The Charleston *Mercury* gives the world the benefit of the following unique circular, which comes to it upon a soiled half sheet of foolscap paper:

TAMMANY HALL, NEW-YORK, July 28, 1860.

To the Editor of the Mercury:

To continue the political connection, with such men of the South as would leave a regular convention, and denounce its proceedings and nominees would be to heap disgrace on dishonor.

It were better, and a thousand times more tolerable, that there should be a complete humiliation of the South, than that distinguished gentlemen of the North should ever again be expected or required to convene with such revolutionary spirits.

The inauguration of a *Black Republican Administration* could be borne; but a seat in a convention with perfidious Southern members could not, and as the Secretary of the Tammany General Committee I am instructed to address you this note, and assure you that the supporters of DOUGLAS and JOHNSON view your opposition with contempt.

Among the files of this Committee will remain a copy of this address, that it may, at the proper time, be published and circulated.

Respectfully, but candidly, the address of the Committee by its Secretary, R. DEVELIN.

MR. FROMENT'S DISMISSAL.—The *Sun* of yesterday morning has the following paragraph: "We are authorized to say that politics *had nothing whatever* to do with Mr. FROMENT's removal from the Superintendency of the Stamp Department in the New-York Post-office. We are assured, from a quarter entitled to the readiest credence, that Mr. FROMENT's political partialities were not known or inquired into by the head of the Department in Washington. On the contrary, the Postmaster-General has firmly taken a stand against the prostitution of his office to political purposes, and he has therefore determined to disregard men, and to be governed only by motives of economy in making changes, or reducing the number of employes in the Post office service."

A DEFECTION.—CHARLES REEMELIN, of Cincinnati, has left the Lincoln ranks and gone over to BRECKINRIDGE. No reasons are assigned for his action.

MOVEMENT IN FAVOR OF GEN. HOUSTON.—A demonstration will soon be made in Norfolk, Va., in favor of Gen. HOUSTON. It is said that he has many friends in the State.

WHERE DOES MR. BRECKINRIDGE STAND?—Hon. BEN. EDWARDS GRAY, who states that he has been personally acquainted with Mr. BRECKINRIDGE for over twenty years, denies, in a letter to the Cahawba (Ala.) *Slaveholder*, that Mr. BRECKINRIDGE ever, at any time, or in any manner, sympathized with the Emancipationists. He is quite sure that he must have been a slaveholder at some time, for had he not, the fact would certainly have excited comment.

THE LITTLE GIANTS.—The Albany *Argus* gives a history of the organization of the Club of Little Giants. It was first started in July, and in its character is partly civil and partly military. The civil organization consists of a President, a Vice-President, Secretaries, and an Executive and a Finance Committee of five. The military organization is under a Captain, Lieutenants, Ensign, Sergeant-at-Arms, Sergeants and Corporals. At first, it was proposed that membership should be confined to persons under 35 years of age; but this rule was soon dispensed with, and the club is now thrown open to all the supporters of DOUGLAS and JOHNSON who desire to connect themselves with the organization. In addition to the Central Club, ward clubs are rapidly springing up, all of which will be united on public occasions with the Central Club, and will swell its numbers. The Central Club will enrol 1,000 Little Giants in its organization, and the Ward Clubs will more than double this number.

GOV. OLDEN'S POSITION.—GOV. OLDEN, of New-Jersey, has authorized a friend to state, through the Trenton *Gazette*, that he is in favor of the election of LINCOLN and HAMLIN.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION OF NEW-JERSEY.—This body assembles at Trenton on the 8th. The primary meetings to elect Delegates were held in Newark on Friday evening. The best feeling was manifested.

Another Great Meteor.

The Cincinnati *Commercial* has the following account of a brilliant meteor seen in that city on the 2d inst.:—

A few minutes after ten o'clock, Thursday night, a magnificent meteor darted across the Southern sky, glowing for a few seconds with a light far more brilliant than the moon. We were standing at the moment on the sidewalk in front of the *Commercial* Office Building, observing the light of a balloon that had floated to the North and was moving steadily on its way. There was suddenly an intense light in the South, and turning we saw directly over Covington, moving from the Southeast to the Northwest, not more than twenty degrees above the horizon, a great ball of flame. The light was, as a correspondent well describes it, like that from the balls shot from a Roman candle. Before its marvelous radiance the moon was paled, and while it passed, the black shadows of the lofty buildings of the city wheeled around as the wild luminary sped; and when it was gone, there was a sensation of dimness of sight, as after a resplendent flash of lightning. The luminous object disappeared from our eyes behind the buildings on the west side of Race street, and seemed to have fallen into the river, or to have vanished in the vicinity of the Fifth-street Ferry.

The Louisville *Journal*, of the 3d, gives the following account of it:

A few minutes after 10 o'clock last night we were passing the United States Hotel, between Green and Jefferson streets, the moon shining very bright at the time, when the Southeastern sky was suddenly illuminated with an intense brilliancy. It was so vivid that it added to the brilliancy of the full moon's illumination, and for the space of several seconds, with variable effulgence, lighting up the scene. We were "under the lee" of an immense building, and had no opportunity of looking at the sky, but we deem it a duty to science to state our grave suspicion that we had a Southern meteor last night to countervail the prophetic effects of the one recently seen in the North.

The meteor was also seen at Chillicothe at the same hour.

Mr. PERSTON, of Yellow Springs, saw the meteor, under very favorable circumstances for observation. He gives the following description:

Between 19 and 20 minutes past 10 o'clock on the evening of the 2d inst., while sitting on the step of the entrance to the south wing of the college, engaged in conversation with one of the students, there appeared in the southern heavens, about one-third of the distance between the horizon and the zenith, a bright ball of fire, resembling the moon in size and color. I at once recognized it as a meteor, and collected my thoughts for observation. At its first point it remained stationary for several seconds, increasing in brilliancy from a pale red to a silvery white, encircled by a ring of green. It then shot through the heavens in a horizontal wavering line from east to west, with immense velocity. At first, sparks of fire were emitted, which changed as the fiery ball increased in speed, to streams of light of the most beautiful colors, and of such brilliancy as to dazzle the eyes, and left in its train a very large luminous band, equal to one half of its own diameter, in which several of the colors of the rainbow were distinctly exhibited. Unlike the meteoric display of the 20th July, there appeared but one ball of fire. As it entered the western horizon its course was more irregular, and the flame again changed to a deep crimson. The ball continued its antics until it was lost behind the clouds, leaving a trace of its path until it quite vanished from sight. During the last few seconds of its existence, the appearance of the southern and western heavens was perfectly gorgeous, presenting a grand pyrotechnic display, in which the meteor was the centre-piece. During this phenomena, the moon was wholly obscured by a heavy cloud, which rendered the spectacle more brilliant. The duration of the display I do not think was more than ten seconds. There was no report, but a faint hissing sound, as if produced by the concussion of air, was distinctly heard. Although of shorter duration and more limited in its range than that of the 20th ult., it was certainly as brilliant and wonderful.

LAW REPORTS.

Landlord and Tenant.

PROCEEDINGS TO DISPOSSESS.

Abraham Marks vs. *Jabesh Wilson*.—This was an action to restrain the defendant, a constable, from executing a warrant to dispossess the plaintiff herein, and was brought before Justice HOFFMAN, in the Superior Court. The facts are fully disclosed by the opinion in the case, which is as follows:

HOFFMAN, J.—The complaint is for an injunction to restrain the defendant from executing a warrant granted by a Justice of the Marine Court of the City of New York, to dispossess the plaintiff under the act "of Summary Proceedings to recover possession of land," &c. (2 R. S. 512, vol. 3, 5 ed., p. 836 § 8.) The warrant was for holding over, after the expiration of the term, without permission.

The 47th section of the act provides, that the Supreme Court may award a *certiorari* for the purpose of examining any adjudication made on any application hereby authorized; but the proceedings on any such application shall not be stayed or suspended by such writ of *certiorari*, or any other writ or order of any Court or officer.

The case of Dunigan *vs.* Hogan (1 Bosw., Rep. 645) settles the law in this Court, holding that the code (section 219) is not inconsistent with the 47th section of the statute, and that it remains in force; and leaving, probably, no case whatever, except one of undue advantage, fraud and surprise, to which the landlord is a party, in which an injunction can be granted Forrester *vs.* Wilson (1 Duer, Rep. 624.) was of this character, and rests upon its own peculiar circumstances. See, also, Hyatt *vs.* Burr (8 Howard, R. 168.

But, again, I am clear that the injunction ought not to issue upon any ground as to which the party could have relief in a fixed statutory method, adequate to the purpose.

This method for redressing every error, defect or irregularity apparent on the record, is prescribed by section 47, giving a *certiorari*. That writ has been sued out, and is now pending in the present case, although the stay of proceedings originally granted has been discharged. (Marselles *vs.* Bulyer, 19 How. P. R. 34.)

An appeal also lies to the Common Pleas, from an adjudication in such a proceeding. (1 Hilton R., 399, 3 R. S., 5 Ed., p. 840, § 52.)

Of the defects and alleged errors in the proceedings—the *certiorari* will take up all the defects in the affidavit.

The 48th and 49th sections of the statute provide for restitution of the possession, if the proceedings are reversed, and for damages sustained by reason of such proceedings. It is said that the defendant is insolvent. This is denied; but if it were the fact, it could not form a ground for any injunction.

The next point, and one which could not arise upon a certiorari or appeal is, that the service was made on Saturday, and that the plaintiff is of the Jewish persuasion and religion.

By the Statute (5 Ed. Vol. 2, p. 936, Sec. 69, 70, 71.) persons keeping the Seventh day holy, are exempted from performing certain duties thereon; and any person who shall knowingly or maliciously, cause any process issued from a Justice's Court in a civil suit, to be served on said day, on any person; or who shall serve process returnable on such day, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and be subject to a fine of $100 or imprisonment not exceeding thirty days, or both. And so for procuring a suit to be tried on that day.

This is the Law of 1847, Ch. 349, now in force. The Statute of May 7, 1839, under which Munson *vs.* Amery (1 Denio Rep. 504) was decided is repealed.

That authority is enough, under the existing statute, to show, that service on Saturday would not be sufficient to avoid the Judgment. The service knowingly and maliciously is denied, and not in any way established.

The only remaining ground on which the plaintiff could ask for the interference of the Court relates to the merits, viz.: The denial of the relation existing, which justifies proceedings under the statute. He contends that he took possession under the contract of sale of the premises which is set forth.

The plaintiff was to consummate his purchase (dated the 28th day of March, 1860) by the 28th day of April. He was let into possession on the 2d day of April. The terms of the contract were, that he was to pay for the property on the 28th day of April. The defendant was not bound to have let him into possession before. He did so, very clearly, with the expectation, and with the implied condition, that he should then pay according to the contract. His taking possession without any reservation, was a waiver of objections to the title. He avers that the only objection he has is the existence of two judgments against a former owner, which, it is alleged, are not liens; that the judgments were against a different person of the same name; at any rate, it is positively sworn that the property is clear, except from the two mortgages.

I am by no means prepared to say that Henry, the agent, was acting illegally, much less fraudulently, in the affidavit he made to obtain the warrant in the Marine Court.

But independently of this, there was a plain method for the plaintiff to have obtained redress.

I take it for granted that the Marine Court could have opened the default on a proper application. Mitchell *vs.* Menkle, 1 Hilton R., 142; Session Laws 1853, ch. 617, § 5.

But again, the 366th section of the Code affords a most complete remedy upon an appeal to the Common Pleas, in case of a failure to appear, and by affidavits showing that injustice would be done, and satisfactorily excusing the default. Foster *vs.* Capewell, 1 Hilton R., 47; Lent *vs.* Jones, 4 Ed. Smith's R., 52; Milhein *vs.* Ayde, 3 Ed. Smith's R., 177.

I consider that for every alleged irregularity or defect (as well as for a full investigation of the merits and justice of the case, the law has explicitely provided summary and adequate modes of redress, without recourse to an injunction; and that, if there can be presented a case in which the interference by injunction may be allowed, the present is not one of them.

Motion for injunction denied. The temporary order discharged with $10 costs.

G. A. Seixas for plaintiff. Mr. Chadsy for defendant.

The Post-office Site.

APPLICATION TO SELL THE OLD DUTCH CHURCH.

Matter of the Dutch Church in Nassau-st.—This was an application to sell this old edifice, now used as the City Post-office, to the Government, for $200,000.

The application was made before Justice LEONARD, at Chambers. The Court suggested that the application would be granted if no bodies were interred on the property to be sold. The granting of the application was suspended until this fact was determined by the Referee, John T. Hoffman, Esq.

The Cheever Church Controversy.

Hart et al vs. *White et al.*—This was a notice of motion in the matter of the *mandamus* in this action.

The notice is served by the plaintiffs upon the defendants, informing them that on the third Monday in the present month motion will be made to quash the amended return to the alternative *mandamus* in the case, and that a peremptory mandamus will be asked, compelling the defendants to give the plaintiffs certificates entitling them to the position of Trustees of the Church of the Puritans.

Decisions.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

LEONARD, J.—*Bonker* vs. *Mann.* Reference ordered, injunction continued.

Petition of Morris. Referred to Jno. T. Hoffman.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

WOODRUFF, J.—*Gurnsey* vs. *Smithson.* Case settled.

PIERREPONT, J.—*Moore* vs. *Comstock.* Complaint dismissed, without costs to either party.

MONETARY AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—Aug. 6.

$1,000 Tenn. 6s, '90	90	150 Mich. S. & N. Ia. R.	18
7,000 Vir. State 6s	91¼	200 do b60	18
2,000 Mo. State 6s	81	175 do	17⅜
5,000 Erie 5th M. B. b60	76	200 Mich So. & N. I. G. S.	45⅜
3,000 Erie Bonds, 1875	51	200 do	46
3,000 Erie Con. B. 1877	51	100 do	46⅜
5,000 Mic. S. 2d m. b	b60 67⅛	350 do	47
5,000 do b30	68	50 do s30	47
15,000 do b60	68	300 do	47⅜
5,000 L. C. & M. L. G. B.	24⅜	50 do	s10 47⅜
22,000 do	25	150 do	47⅜
1,000 Chi. & N. W. S. F. B.	83	150 Panama Railroad	124½
1,000 L. E. & W. Ia. M. B.	79	600 Clev. & Pitts. 2d	12
1,000 L. E. & W. 2d M. B.	47	400 Ill. Cen. R. Scrip	79
1,000 Del., L. & W. 2d M.	103	215 do	79¾
5,000 Cle. & T. S. F. B.	78¼	400 do	79⅜
10 Man. & Mer. Bank	104	285 do	79¾
7 Bank of State of N. Y.	100¾	200 do b30	80
10 Metropolitan Bank	113⅜	200 do b20	80
5 Corn Ex. Bank	100	2,100 Gal & Chic. R.	75⅜
125 Artisans' Bank	98	100 do	75⅝
20 Del. & Hud. C. Co.	96¼	450 do b30	76
5 Pac. Mail St. Co.	81⅜	50 do b60	76⅛
150 do b10	81	50 do b30	75⅜
50 do b10	81½	50 do s10	75⅜
40 do	80⅜	100 do b10	75⅜
50 do b15	80¾	150 do s60	75
400 do	80	50 do	75⅛
25 do	79¾	500 Clev. & Toledo R.	42
25 E. R. Assented Sh.	23½	630 do	43⅛
200 N. Y. Cen. R. p & c	85	500 do	42⅜
550 do opg	85⅛	150 do	42⅞
800 do p & c	84¾	300 do b60	43
250 do b30	85⅛	200 do b60	43¼
500 do s60	85½	1200 do	43
500 do s60	85¾	100 do s60	42¾
350 do b60	85½	150 do s60	42⅞
900 do p & c	85⅝	Chi. & R'k I. R. s60	83
200 do b30	85⅞	50 do	83
400 do opg	85⅜	100 do s60	82¾
50 do b60	85⅝	650 do	83
750 Erie Railroad	24⅜	100 do b10	83¼
200 do b60	24	50 do b20	83
100 do	24⅛	150 do b30	83¼
200 Hud. Riv. R. s60	87⅛	100 do b60	83¼
100 do	88	75 Chi., Bur. & Q. R.	85¾
400 Harlem Railroad	17⅜	125 do	86
150 Harlem R. Pref.	49	50 do b30	86
100 do	49¾	150 Milw. & Miss. R	b5 15
100 Reading Railroad	47⅜	100 do	15
400 do	47¼	2 do b30	15
100 Mich. Cen. R.	64¾	50 do b30	14⅜
100 do	65	167 do	14
5 do	66	30 La Crosse & Milw. R	2¾
50 do s60	67	100 do	2¾
50 do s10	67	50 do	2¾
50 do b60	67⅛		

SECOND BOARD.

$500 Vir. State 6s	92¾	100 Ill. Cen. R. Scrip	78¼
5,000 Tenn. 6s '90	89½	100 do b30	79
3,000 Mo. State 6s	81	100 do	79¾
4,000 L. F. & W. 1st M. B.	78¾	300 do	79
30 Pac. Mail SS. Co.	79	100 do	79¼
105 do	78	10 Clev. & Pitts. R.	11
100 N. Y. Cen. R. p&c	85¾	300 do	12
500 do b30	85¾	150 Gal. & Chi. R. s30	75
400 do opg	85¾	50 do	75¼
200 do opg	85¾	100 do b10	75¾
200 do p&c	85¾	50 do s60	75
100 Erie Railroad	24¾	400 do b3	75¼
150 do b60	25	100 do	75½
200 Harlem Railr'd	16¾	100 do 2d	75
25 do	16¾	500 Clev. & Tol. R.	43
200 Reading R.	47¾	do b10	43
50 Mich. Cen. R. b30	67	100 do s60	42¾
50 do	65¾	300 do	44⅜
100 do s60	65½	600 do b30	43¾
50 do b3	65¾	750 do b60	43¾
50 M. S. & N. I. R. b60	18	900 do b3	43
150 do	18	220 Chic. & R. Isl. R.	84¾
50 do b30	18¾	200 La Cr. & Mil. R.	2¾
50 M. S. & N. I. G. S. s60	46¾	200 do	2
50 do b30	47	150 do	2¾
100 do	47	50 Chi B & Q R.	85¾

MONDAY, Aug. 6—P. M.

The Custom-house returns of the Foreign Trade at the port of New-York for the month of July, were completed this afternoon, and we are now enabled to present, in an official form, the summary results of the Import, Export and Gold movement at New-York, for seven months of the calendar year, 1860. During the month of July the entries of Foreign Merchandise were:

In Dutiable Goods, consumption direct	$18,759,905
Dutiable Goods, warehoused	4,462,475
Free Goods	1,594,918
Total entries	$24,817,298
Against July, 1859	27,110,981
Decrease this season	$3,293,683

There was also entered, during the month, Foreign Specie to the value of $64,351. The value of Merchandise, of the previous importation, withdrawn from Public Warehouse during the month, is $3,593,993, or $868,482 less than the amount which went into Warehouse, so that the value of Imported Merchandise actually marketed during the month is $23,948,816, against $25,762,870 marketed in July of last year.

The Exports from the port of New-York for the month of July were:

In Domestic Produce	$7,835,712
Foreign Goods Reëxported	370,882
Specie	6,257,605
Total allowances	$14,463,199
Against June, 1859:	
In Domestic Produce	$4,288,065
Foreign Reëxports	618,309
Specie	10,051,019—$15,602,393
Decrease in July this season	$1,139,194

We now subjoin our usual comparison by months of the Foreign Trade and Specie movements at the port of New-York, for seven months of the calendar year:

IMPORT OF FOREIGN GOODS AT NEW-YORK.

	1860. From Jan. 1.	1859. From Jan. 1.
January	21,528,000	19,377,000
February	19,166,000	18,756,000
March	23,495,000	20,739,000
April	16,922,000	22,153,000
May	16,797,000	23,430,000
June	19,123,000	23,584,000
July	24,817,000	27,111,000
Total 7 months	$141,848,000	$155,147,000
Foreign Specie	761,000	1,301,000
Total fiscal year	$142,599,000	$156,448,000
Decrease in Imports this year		13,849,000

EXPORT OF DOMESTIC PRODUCE FROM NEW-YORK.

	1860. From Jan. 1.	1859. From Jan. 1.
January	$5,

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Amusements this Evening.

NIBLO'S GARDEN—NIXON'S GRAND CIRCUS.

WINTER GARDEN—MAGIC PILLS—LE DIABLE A QUATRE.

WALLACK'S THEATRE—PAUDEEN O'RAFFERTY—A HEIRESS MARRIED—THE GOOD FOR NOTHING.

LAURA KEENE'S THEATRE—OUR AMERICAN COUSIN.

NEW BOWERY THEATRE—THE ROBBERS—THE ALPINE MAID—EL HYDER.

BARNUM'S MUSEUM—Afternoon and Evening—WOOD'S MINSTRELS.

PALACE GARDEN—NECROMANCY—PROMENADE CONCERT.

DUSSELDORF GALLERY, No. 548 Broadway—PAINTINGS AND STATUES.

CANAL-STREET—No. 366—WHITLOCK'S FREE GALLERY OF OIL PAINTINGS.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Pony Express arrived at St. Joseph on Sunday night, with advices from California to the 25th of July, Japan to the 26th of June, and China to the 26th of May, and also later news from the West Coast of Mexico. From California we learn that business remained much depressed. The arrivals of silver ore from Washoe at San Francisco continued very heavy, the shipments being estimated at one hundred tons per month. Still further discoveries of silver mines are also reported.

The condition of affairs on the West Coast of Mexico remains unsettled. The town of Guaymas was threatened by the Taqui Indians of Sonora, and the Governor was endeavoring to raise a force with which to drive them back. The difficulties between the American Consul at Mazatlan and the authorities, relative to the seizure of three American vessels, are said to be amicably adjusted.

From Japan, the news is interesting and important. With the increased facilities for trade afforded by the treaties recently made with other nations, a lucrative foreign trade was springing up. The French and British forces in China were obtaining their principal supplies from Japan, including horses. The tea-trade of Shanghai with the interior of China being interrupted on account of the troubles with the rebels, the Japanese were doing a handsome tea-trade also. The city of Kanagawa, the principal trading port, is represented to have nearly doubled in size and population within a year on account of the increased trade. The Japanese merchants, of course, under these circumstances, are much in favor of a continuance of the present state of things, but the mass of the people are represented to be more prejudiced than ever against foreigners, on account of an advance in the necessaries of life consequent upon the trade with them. An earthquake was stated to have taken place in the interior, about 200 miles from Kanagawa, which swallowed up an entire town, containing eight or ten thousand inhabitants.

From China, we learn that an attack of the Rebel forces was anticipated at Shanghai, on account of which the foreign merchants had fled to Souchay. The Rebels were reported to have been recently very successful. They had taken the large city of Souchow, which gave them the control of the entire country in that direction.

The steamship *Arago* arrived at this port late last night, having left Southampton on the 25th ult. Her advices are no later than those by the *Kangaroo*, which we published yesterday morning, as telegraphed from Cape Race.

The steamship *Vigo*, which left here on Saturday last for Liverpool, will make Cape Race today or to-morrow, and communicate with the shore for the latest dispatches from this City.

Our Utah correspondent states that the appointment of Judge KINNEY as Chief of Utah, and ALEXANDER WILSON as Associate Justice, is received with favor by the Mormons. Their antecedents are such that it is believed there will be some chance for fair trials and an impartial administration of the law, which the Mormons, whether justly or unjustly, believed to be impossible under the former judges of the Territory. In this state of the case, it is to be hoped that an investigation of the circumstances attending the Mountain Meadows massacre will take place, as it is understood that BRIGHAM YOUNG and other Mormon dignitaries have expressed a desire that such an investigation might take place, provided an unbiased Court could be obtained.

Our Special Correspondent gives a graphic description of the public festivities, illuminations and decorations with which the arrival of the Prince of Wales in Halifax was signalized. His Royal Highness appears to be a great favorite with the people, who have been universally pleased with his gentle demeanor and unaffected modesty. Our correspondent gives a particular description of the landing of the Prince, of the ceremonies attendant thereon, and of the Government ball on the following evening, at which all the *élite* of Halifax, and many distinguished English and American citizens were present. The enthusiasm was, of course, very great, and the fact that the Prince danced "until three o'clock in the morning" with quite a number of partners, has multiplied his graces in the eyes of the fairer sex. Our correspondent telegraphs from Fredericton an account of the reception in that city.

A meeting of British residents of New-York was held at the Astor House last evening, to consider the propriety of extending an appropriate welcome on behalf of British subjects in this City, to the Prince of Wales on his visit to New-York. About one hundred persons were present. Mr. ARCHIBALD, the British Consul, was chosen Chairman, and made a speech disavowing, on behalf of the British residents, any intention to interfere in any manner with the reception that might be extended to the Prince of Wales by the citizens of New-York. A Committee of fifteen was appointed to take preliminary steps for getting up some demonstration of respect to the Prince, which, while it should not interfere with the public reception, yet should testify the esteem in which His Royal Highness is held by his future subjects now resident in this country.

Our special correspondent on board the *Great Eastern* gives an interesting and amusing description of her trip from this City to Point Comfort. This time there appears to have been no serious cause to grumble or complain. The wants of the passengers were carefully provided for, and, as there were few persons on board, they had plenty of room and enjoyed a luxurious trip compared with that of the unfortunate crowd on the previous excursion. The passengers themselves seem to have been perfectly satisfied with their accommodations, as they held a meeting and passed resolutions complimentary to the officers of the ship.

The great Cricket Match between eleven Cricketers from Canada and eleven Cricketers of the United States, was commenced yesterday at Hoboken, but not concluded. The match was well contested on both sides. The five American Cricketers of the United States Eleven have made two-thirds of the score of their side, which leads the Canadians by eleven runs.

A Christian Union Camp Meeting is now in progress at Yonkers, New-York, on the ground occupied last year. The peculiarity of this meeting is that it is participated in by churches of various denominations, including Methodists, Baptists, Episcopalians, Presbyterians and Congregationalists. The camp-meeting will continue one week, and will be visited by a large number of ministers of various persuasions.

The funeral of Brevet-Major MORTON FAIRCHILD, of the First Regiment New-York Volunteers, took place yesterday from the Governor's Room in the City Hall. A battalion of four Companies from the 11th Regiment acted as an escort, and the Scott Life Guard and the survivors of the New-York Volunteers as a guard of honor. The body was interred at Greenwood.

The report of the Registrar of Deaths for the week ending Aug. 4 is as follows: Men, 101; women, 75; boys, 171; girls, 150. Total, 497. The deaths from acute diseases were 303, of which cholera infantum numbered 89; diarrhœa, 25; infantile convulsions, 25; inflammation of the brain, 22; scarlet fever, 15. From chronic disease the deaths were 151, of which consumption claimed 54, and infantile marasmus 40. Deaths from external cause were 43.

Application was made at Chambers of the Supreme Court yesterday, before Justice LEONARD, for an order to sell the Old Dutch Church in Nassau-street, now used by the Government as a Post-office. The matter was referred to JOHN J. HOFFMAN, Esq., to report if any bodies were still interred on the property—pending which proceedings are suspended.

The Stock Market advanced yesterday 3 to 4 ₩ cent. on the Western shares; 1@1¼ on New-York Central, and 2 ₩ cent. on Hudson and Harlem Preferred; closing strong, after a day of considerable excitement. The Money and Exchange markets quiet. The Bank return shows a gain on the Discount average of $1,043,000 and a loss on the Specie average of $971,000. The Custom-House returns of the trade for July show a diminished importation of Foreign Merchandise of three millions, and a diminished export of Specie of three and a-half millions, compared with the same month last year. For the seven months of the calendar year the falling off in Imports is nearly fourteen millions.

Cotton steady, but more active. Coffee is quiet, pending a public sale announced on Wednesday. Molasses is dull. Sugars quiet but firm. Rice steady. Naval Stores are quiet. Whale Oil is still active and prices tend upward. Flour more active and firmer. Wheat 1c.@2c. better, and active. Corn firm.

The Irish Question.

The London Press has just exposed itself to a great deal of severe and well-merited censure from its Continental critics by the extraordinary way in which it has combined to suppress a letter of remonstrance addressed originally to the *Times* by the author of a French pamphlet, entitled *La Question Irlandaise*, in reference to the strictures passed upon himself and his work by the Paris correspondent of the great English journal.

Our readers will remember that no little excitement was caused by this pamphlet at the time of its recent appearance in Paris. It is one of the natural consequences of the strict censorship which the Emperor NAPOLEON thinks fit to inflict upon the French Press, that himself or his advisers are held responsible by the public opinion of Europe for every political paper reflecting sharply on any foreign State which is suffered to see the day in France. Of course, in nine cases out of ten, the Imperial Government has no more to do with these papers than the Emperor of China; but it is only reasonable and righteous that they should be charged to its account, so long as it persists in keeping up its system of tutelage over the intellect of France. The writer of the "*Question Irlandaise*" was accordingly credited by his English critics with an Imperial inspiration; and his pamphlet being interpreted as the straw which proved at least how the wind of war might one day set, was pretty severely handled by the London journalists. The *Times*, in particular, complimented the work as a "farrago of nonsense," and the writer as a "grotesque ignoramus," and a "hopelessly stupid ass." The style of these criticisms is certainly not unimpeachable, and it could hardly be expected that any writer of respectability would condescend to notice observations couched in so offensive a form. However, the French pamphleteer in question thought it worth his while to protest, and drew up a letter to the *Times* in which, after sarcastically praising the gracious courtesy of his critic, he wished to be informed whether the charge of "ignorance" was made against him as a matter of criticism or merely as a matter of abuse. In the former case, he asked to be informed whether he was wrong in the following positions, on which his whole pamphlet rested:

1. "Whether Ireland did or did not produce twice as much as was necessary to feed and clothe her whole population during the very years in which hundreds of thousands of Irishmen died of famine, or were forced to emigrate?"

2. "Whether Ireland, being by an immense majority of her people a Catholic country, is or is not compelled to pay a heavy tax for the support of an established Protestant Church?"

3. "Whether in the national schools of Ireland the books employed are or are not expurgated of every allusion to the nationality and to the religion of Ireland?"

4. "Whether it is or is not a sign of perfect content in Ireland that emigration has recommenced at the present day on an enormous scale?"

5. "Whether the British Government has or has not refused to intrust arms and rifles to the Irish people and to organize volunteer corps in Ireland?"

"If I am wrong on all these points," proceeds the injured pamphleteer, "then perhaps you may continue to call me an 'ignorant scribbler'; but if I am right would not your correspondent do better to write like a gentleman and observe the rules of politeness?"

This letter, although accompanied by the address of the writer, the *Times* refused to insert. It was then offered to various other leading journals of London, none of which would consent to print it. Of course, it was thereupon forwarded to Dublin, and instantly displayed with a grand explosion of rhetorical fireworks in all the newspapers of Erin. The *Nation* became jubilant over the defeat of the *Times*, "driven to the wall by the French writer." The *Irishman*, the *Morning News*, the whole chorus of the sons of St. Patrick broke out into one grand pœan over the cowardice of the English press, in shrinking from questions to which no negative reply was possible; and no further argument was pronounced necessary to substantiate the conclusion drawn by the author of *La Question Irlandaise* from his positions, that the "independence of Ireland is absolutely essential to the continued existence of the Irish race in Europe." Reproduced all over the Continent, the rejected letter goes the rounds of Europe, carrying everywhere the conviction that England trembles at every whisper of the wrongs of Ireland; that the liberty of the English Press means simply liberty to suppress all truths unwelcome to the English mind, and all discussion involving even a possibility of defeat to English opinions and of damage to English interests.

All this, of course, is sufficiently absurd. Great as the wrongs of Ireland incontestibly are, and deep-seated as is the animosity of the Irish race against a people whom they have known for centuries as conquerors, and only for years as friends, we are still most sure that nothing but evil could flow to Ireland from a severance of the bond which unites her fortunes with those of Great Britain. If England has done much evil and most cruel injustice to Ireland, she has not shrunk, at least, from acknowledging her wrong-doing, and the world has seen few examples of a dominant State stripping itself so resolutely of the attributes of domination, and setting itself so earnestly at work to atone for its past tyrannies, as England has done on the question of Ireland, since the Reform bill inaugurated a new era of domestic politics in the British Empire.

But the senseless and unfair behavior of the English Press in this case illustrates one of the weak points of the English character, which is also one of the present perils of England's situation. The grievances of Ireland, no matter by whom discussed, or in what tone, strike the average Englishman as a mere weary impertinence. Because it is undoubtedly true that England is a more advanced nation than Ireland—that she is richer in intellect, in resources and in glory—Englishmen unconsciously assume that it must be very silly for Irishmen to be dissatisfied with the supremacy of so illustrious a people as themselves. It can be no great hardship, they think, for Irish peasants to pay their tithes to the support of so cultivated a body of men as the Anglo-Irish clergy, and no calamity for Irish gentlemen, whose forefathers talked an unknown and uncouth Celtic tongue, to be pooh-poohed on the question of nationality by writers who use the language of SHAKESPEARE and of MILTON. The natural consequence of this state of feeling among the ruling race is a chronic desire on the part of the race which is ruled to kick their bland and presumptuous fellow-subjects into better manners. Most Englishmen think, with the *Saturday Review*, that "the Irish have nothing to complain of," and though the proposition is certainly far too sweeping, it is not destitute of truth. But when they go on to insist that the reason why the Irish have nothing to complain of is that the English are such a brilliant and superior and benevolent people, providentially appointed to rule Ireland for her good, it is not merely "Irish nature but human nature" itself which revolts at the assumption that a Tipperary peasant ought to part gladly with his pig to a British parson, because ALFRED THE GREAT was a Saxon, and that an evicted cottier in Connaught should quit his paternal sod with rapture because NEWTON learned the secrets of nature in an English University.

Japan in Motion.

Japan is rapidly learning one of the great lessons of Christian history, and profiting by the misfortunes of her neighbors. The advices which reach us to-day from the Far East, by the Overland Express, are of the best augury for the success of the mighty commercial revolution which began in the diplomatic victories of Mr. Commissioner HARRIS, and has been so solemnly set before the world in the great Embassy which recently quitted our shores.

While the vast empire of China is assailed at once by the shocks of internal rebellion and the hostile advance of the Western armaments, and the trade of Chinese ports is dwindling away in the presence of the uncertain future, the Japanese are driving a brisk traffic at the expense of the Celestial State. The Anglo-French Allies have roused all Japanese jockeydom to an extraordinary activity, and the commerce in horses which is announced to be in full operation between Kanagawa and Chusan has already attained proportions worthy the respectful attention of Yorkshire itself. The silks and teas of Japan are coming forward too, to take the place of the same articles in the China trade, and the population of the single City of Kanagawa is said to have tripled during the last year, in consequence of the stimulus applied by foreign commerce, and of the intelligent energy with which the natives are availing themselves of the new career opened to their industry.

These tidings agreeably relieve the anxiety excited by the political complications which seemed so short a time since to be gathering around the Japanese party in favor of intercourse with the foreign world. It is true that the lower orders of the population are said to be showing symptoms of dissatisfaction at the influence of this sudden increase in population and in commercial activity upon the prices of the necessaries of life. But this is an inevitable incident of similar developments in every country. It was not so very long ago that the populace of London rose, under the influence of similar feelings, upon the unfortunate immigrants whom persecution drove from the Continent, to plant themselves and their laborious gifts upon the soil of England. The Japanese have proved themselves sufficiently skillful in the art of government for us to await with confidence the result of the new trial to which their institutions are now subjected, and we may reasonably hope, (and not without a legitimate feeling of national pride,) that as the diplomacy of America has played by far the largest part in inaugurating this great social era in Japanese history, so the results of the experience of the Japanese men of consideration who have been learning in America what sound principles of public policy may accomplish, will not be useless in carrying Japan safely onward in the course upon which she has entered.

A New Nationalism.

The Charleston *Mercury* has discovered a radical cure for the sectionalism which has triumphed, as it says, in the bosom of every great political party in the Union, has demolished one great political organization after another, and has now arrayed the "two sections of the Union face to face on distinct sectional issues, in the Presidential election." If any journal in the country is entitled to be heard as an authority on sectionalism and its remedies, it is certainly the Charleston *Mercury*. The *Mercury* has the same claims on attention when it speaks of this subject, as Constantinople in a debate on the plague, or Satan in a disquisition on sin.

The *Mercury's* hope for the country, then, is suggested by a contemplation of the position of South Carolina. "South Carolina," we are told, "stands alone in her attitude on the Presidential election. Not a Press in the State advocates the election of either Mr. DOUGLAS or Mr. BELL to the Presidency. Squatter Sovereignty and 'the Union and Constitution' Party—so called—have not a single representative in the Press of the State. The people of South Carolina are united in supporting but one ticket for the Presidency, and that is Messrs. BRECKINRIDGE and LANE." Were all the Southern States equally clean and clear of all distracting differences of opinion, were the whole Southern people united like the people of South Carolina, in supporting the candidates of the Secessionist faction of the Democratic Party, the *Mercury* thinks there would be no sectional issues in the coming election. The great questions of constitutional right and of policy which, as we are informed, "have been sinking out of sight under the black cover of sectionalism," would emerge into the broad light of nationality, if all the South insisted upon establishing its own opinions irreversibly and permanently in the seats of power at Washington. "National parties," which have been "stripped of their nationality," would be found again clothed and in their right mind, were the *Mercury's* dream realized, and every Southern voter converted into an irreclaimable seceder.

This is certainly a novel, though we must own a slightly perplexing, way of escape from the evils which menace the country. To our humble and uninspired vision, it is not easy to detect the exact difference between a "nationality" which is to arise out of "absolute devotion to the rights of the South" and a "nationality" which is to arise out of absolute devotion to the rights of the North. If "sectionalism" is to be cured by a complete victory of the ideas of one section over the ideas of the other, why may not the happy result flow from the choice of LINCOLN and HAMLIN, as well as from the choice of BRECKINRIDGE and LANE?

We fear that our Southern physician of the body politic has been simply plagiarising from the oldest practice of the political faculty. At the time of the Reformation, IGNATIUS LOYOLA had a very similar notion in regard to the schismatic sorrows of the Church; and the Druses have just been trying to "nationalize" Syrian politics in much the same way.

Our Peculiar Institution.

We beg leave to call the attention of the defenders of American honor or Southern rights the two, of course, are one and the same thing) to the atrocious conduct of a distinguished body of French *savans*, the "Société d'Economie Politique." At the last meeting of this Association, one of its most accomplished members, M. QUIJANO, had the audacity to say that, "in some particulars, it might be doubted whether the separation of the great North-American Republic from the mother-country had been exclusively beneficial to the colonies." "It is possible," said this blasphemous person, "that the immense progress made by the United States might have been made without a separation, for Canada, remaining faithful to the British Crown, has advanced, under less favorable conditions of soil and climate quite as remarkably as the United States. At all events, North America, if united to Great Britain, would to-day have been delivered from the curse of Slavery, which tarnishes her splendor, diminishes her power, and will one day bring on her political ruin, as it has already achieved her moral decadence." Will it be believed by the enlightened statesmen who have demonstrated that African Slavery is the foundation-stone of all our greatness, that this person was not instantly ejected from the learned Society which he disgraces as an incompetent and fanatical blockhead? And who can longer question the propriety of selecting our foreign ministers from the slaveholding States? Every envoy whom we send abroad from the cotton-fields of the Gulf States, or the tobacco plantations of Virginia, is a missionary whose services are most urgently needed by the most civilized nations of the Old World.

Minor Topics.

—There is a strange fatality about the ancient office of Alderman. Once the glory of the Saxon aristocracy, it has come to be the shame of American Democracy; once significant of honest wisdom in peace, and of active valor in war, it has come to be synonymous in America with astute knavery, and in England with obese imbecility. We need not illustrate the peculiarities of the American Alderman for the benefit of New-York readers fresh from their amazement at Boole's big ball! but the following type of the British City Father deserves commemoration. Since the famous "*apple* of discord, which was destined to pour forth the *deluge* of anarchy and kindle the *flames* of insurrection," there has been nothing more ample in the way of rhetorical rigmarole. At a recent meeting called in London to denounce the Lords for throwing back the paper-*duties* upon the Commons, Alderman RYLAND delivered himself of the following sentiments:

"Let Mr. GLADSTONE, Mr. GIBSON, Mr. BRIGHT, and others of the independent members, resolve upon taking a distinct course of action, even at the risk of the overthrow of the Government, and they would sound a *key-note* which would at least obtain a very large minority in the House of Commons, and be a *basis* of very effective action by the people throughout the country. At all events, it would have the effect of *punishing* the arch-traitor in this matter."

Whereupon all the other Aldermen present naturally burst into uproarious "cheers" of admiration.

—The Pope's friends are looking about for somebody upon whom they can lay the blame of GARIBALDI'S successes and VICTOR EMANUEL'S obstinate good health. They have been praying so long and so savagely at both of these personages, without so much as giving either of them a pain in the stomach, that they begin to think a screw loose somewhere. At Treviso, the other day, a preaching monk, we are told by a highly orthodox journal, "lost his temper and indulged in strange language. He took the Virgin Mary sharply to task, reproaching her with her ingratitude towards PIUS IX., who had done so much for her glory!" If this story were told of one of the Gold Coast Negroes, who beat their wooden gods severely when the fish won't bite or the yams moulder, we should know what to say of it.

—Mr. WARD, our Minister to China, has not been guilty of a superfluity of good things during his representation, but the steps which he has now taken in vindication of his dignity merit much commendation. A dispatch by the Overland Mail informs the *Morning Chronicle* (Eng.) that Mr. WARD has taken some steps to contradict Lord PALMERSTON in regard to his *mot* in Parliament on the preposterous invention of the American Minister having gone to Pekin in a box. If anything calculated to lower the dignity of Columbia could be imagined, it would be the picture of her accredited representative going to peek-in in a box.

—Somebody has said of the greatest of German watering-places, "Baden is a poem." If so, it is a poem in 14,000 verses, for at the beginning of July that number of guests had already arrived in this paradise of princes and faro players. By the side of such a poem as this Saratoga and Sharon subside into plain prose, but that they do so is the fault of the hotel-keepers who have refused to put either "rhyme and reason" into their bills.

Personal.

—We regret to learn that Dr. CARNOCHAN is suffering very severely from suppurative inflammation of the right hand and arm, contracted from the absorption of the dropsical effusion of a late patient. Fears have been expressed that he might lose the use of his hand, which to this distinguished operating surgeon is one of no ordinary importance, both to himself and the community.

—HENRY WARD BEECHER is erecting an immense barn on his farm at Peekskill—a fact which induces the good country people for miles around to visit the country residence of the Brooklyn Shepherd.

—THOMAS CORWIN—TOM, the Wagon Boy—has been nominated by acclamation as candidate for Congress by the Republicans of Fayette County, Ohio.

—Prof. FOWLER, so well known as the senior partner of the Phrenological firm of FOWLER & WELLS, is in Europe, where he is creating quite a *furore* in his professional practice.

—GARIBALDI'S name is forbidden notice in the French newspapers, except when absolutely necessary.

—Ex-President FILLMORE and Hon. WASHINGTON HUNT, with their ladies, were stopping at the International Hotel, at Niagara, last week.

GENERAL TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Inspection of the Military Department of the West—Protection for the Pony Express—The Paraguay Claims—The Kaw Reservation Lands, &c.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Monday, Aug. 6.

At the instance of Secretary FLOYD an inspection of the Department of the West will be made by Major IRVIN MCDOWELL, Assistant Adjutant-General, assisted by Capt. DAVID R. JONES.

Col. SMITH, commanding the Department of Utah, reports having furnished Mr. SPENCER, the agent of the Pony Express Company, with sixty Mississippi rifles, one hundred army-size revolvers, and eight thousand cartridges, to defend the express riders against the Indians.

Hon. CAVE JOHNSON is expected here on Thursday, when the decision in the case of the Paraguay claimants will be made known. Mr. JOHNSON has not yet intimated to Señor BERGES what his judgment will be.

A Government draft for $200,000, given for the property known as Live Point, was canceled to-day at the Treasury Department. The cause of the cancelation is not known.

Information reached the Indian Department to-day that the settlers on the Kaw Reservation are banding together to prevent persons from bidding for these lands when offered in market. The treaty with these Indians requires all bids to be sealed and forwarded to the Indian Office, for the very purpose of preventing the combination now threatened.

Gen. LANE has returned to Washington, looking remarkably well after his Southern tour.

Secretary FLOYD is expected to return on Wednesday.

Asst. Adjt.-Gen. WILLIAMS is absent on a visit to Maine. Q.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Monday, August 6.

Mr. CONRAD, Secretary of War under Mr. FILLMORE'S Administration, who is now here, is preparing for publication a letter urging a joint Bell and Douglas ticket as of Unionists for the sake of the Union, and proposing that the successful electors under such an arrangement choose between these Presidential candidates according to their relative strength.

Official dispatches from Utah state that in addition to the hundred revolvers heretofore supplied, sixty rifles, together with the necessary ammunition, have been furnished by the proper military officer at Camp Floyd to the Pony-Express riders for defence against the Indians.

Mr. CHARLES HUTCHINSON has been appointed Postmaster at Woodstock, Vermont, in place of BROWN removed.

Nearly all the foreign Ministers are absent from Washington. Senor TASSARRA, the Spanish Envoy, is an exception, but he will, in the course of this week, start on a Northern tour.

At the instance of the Secretary of War, Major MCDOWELL, Assistant Adjutant-General, assisted by Capt. DAVID R. JONES, will shortly make an inspection of the Department of the West.

Gen. Walker's Expedition to Nicaragua.

NEW-ORLEANS, Monday, Aug. 6.

Gen. WALKER'S expedition, consisting of five vessels and five hundred men, left the Island of Cozegumel on the 20th ult. for Nicaragua.

STATE POLITICS.

The Breckinridge and Lane Democratic Convention.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Monday, Aug. 6—9 P. M.

The attendance of delegates to the Breckinridge and Lane Democratic State Convention at present is light, but a number of delegates will arrive by the next train.

It is expected there will be a full representation to-morrow.

Very few outsiders muster as yet.

The only leaders now present are Hon. JOHN A. GREEN, Jr., and Hon. GIDEON J. TUCKER.

Hon. AUGUSTUS SCHELL is not here yet, but it is expected that he will arrive here in the morning.

Hon. EDWIN CROSWELL has remained over at Albany, and will not be here, in consequence of indifferent health. He is said to favor a compromise and union.

The organization of which JOHN A. GREEN is the head appears to be the one generally recognized by the delegates as regular. Mr. SCHELL, it is thought, will not make any great opposition to it, as many delegates from New-York give in allegiance to Mr. GREEN.

It appears certain that a straight ticket, both State and electoral, will be made, but there is some effort among a few delegates at postponement, for the purpose of effecting a compromise.

A Breckinridge and Lane Club was organized to-night in the city.

The 11 o'clock train from the East brings up some additions to the delegates already here, including Hon. AUGUSTUS SCHELL, and a majority of the New-York delegation.

Hon. DANIEL S. DICKINSON is talked of for Governor by acclamation, but his wishes will be consulted. He is expected here to-morrow. If he does not wish to run, probably Hon. CHARLES O'CONOR will be the nominee of the Convention.

A caucus is being held at the Voorhees House to-night.

ANOTHER REPORT.

SYRACUSE JOURNAL OFFICE, Monday, Aug. 6.

The Delegates to the Breckinridge and Lane Democratic State Convention which meets to-morrow are arriving freely, and there is no doubt that every Assembly District in the State will be represented.

There will be but one organization, and the Convention will be called to order by Hon. JOHN A. GREEN, Jr., Chairman of the National Democratic State Committee.

We are assured by those who know, that a full State and Electoral Ticket will be nominated, and that no fusion will take place.

Resolutions are already prepared indorsing BRECKINRIDGE and LANE and the platform adopted by the Democratic National Convention which assembled at the Maryland Institute, Baltimore.

Miscellaneous Political Matters.

LITTLE VALLEY, Monday, Aug. 6.

At a Convention held here Saturday, FREDERICK A. SAXTON was elected delegate to the Syracuse Convention of the 15th, for the First District of Cattaraugus County. A. B. PARSONS was chosen alternate.

PORT JERVIS, Monday, Aug. 6.

At a Convention held at Middletown to-day CHARLES M. THOMPSON, of Hamptonburgh, was chosen delegate, and DANIEL THOMPSON, of Crawford, alternate to the Breckinridge and Lane State Convention from the Second District of Orange County.

TROY, Monday, Aug. 6.

The Democratic Convention for this District met in this city Saturday evening and appointed JOHN B. PIERSON Delegate, and JOHN B. SPICER Alternate, to the Democratic State Convention of the 7th instant. The Second Assembly District has chosen ISAAC S. GRANT as Delegate, and E. C. REYNOLDS as Alternate to the same Convention.

BUFFALO, Monday, Aug. 6.

The Assembly Districts of Erie County elected the following delegates to represent the National Democracy (Breckinridge) at Syracuse, August 7: Col. H. K. VIELE, CARLOS COBB, MARTIN KELLER, DANIEL KARIDY.

Kentucky State Election.

CINCINNATI, Monday, Aug. 6.

The returns received from the election in Kentucky indicates the election of COOMBS the opposition candidate for Clerk of the Court of Appeals, by a large majority. We have the following returns:

Williamstown—COOMBS 97 majority.
Frankfort—COOMBS 147 majority.
Maysville—COOMBS 153 majority.
Fayette County—COOMBS 700 majority.
Bourbon County—COOMBS 480 majority.
Nicholas County—COOMBS 125 majority.
Campbell County—COOMBS 650 majority.
Covington City—COOMBS 500 majority.
Louisville—COOMBS, 4,275; MCCLARTY, 1,093; BOLLING, 394.

North Carolina Election.

PETERSBURGH, Va., Monday, Aug. 6.

The *Express* (neutral) has just received the following from a reliable source at Raleigh:

"Full returns from forty-five counties show a net gain for POOL of 3,049 over GILMER'S vote in 1856. These forty-five counties constitute two-thirds of the popular vote in the State. Admitting that POOL will gain in the same ratio in the remainder of the State ELLIS'S majority will be 7,587. The Democratic majority in the Legislature will be reduced considerably, but it is too large to be overcome. The Democrats have evidently carried the State.

Missouri State Election.

WARSAW, Mo., Monday, Aug. 6.

BALLOU, Democrat, is elected Representative certain, and REID and the Regular Democratic State ticket will get from 200 to 400 majority. HANCOCK JACKSON, as far as heard from, gets four votes.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Monday, Aug. 6.

PHELPS will beat both of his competitors 2,500. HANCOCK JACKSON will not receive 1,000 votes in this Congressional District.

WASHINGTON, Mo., Monday, Aug. 6.

The whole Union ticket is ahead in this county about 400.

WARSAW, Monday, Aug. 6.

C. T. JACKSON'S majority, together with the State ticket in Benton County, is from 400 to 500. REED, for Congress, received the same majority as the State ticket. Judge BALLOU, Democrat, is elected to the Legislature by 400 majority.

JEFFERSON CITY, Monday, Aug. 6.

This township gives PRICE 150 majority, and Orr about 180 majority. Liberty township gives PRICE 31 majority. Union township gives PRICE 105 majority.

Later from Vera Cruz.

NEW ORLEANS, Monday, Aug. 6.

The schooner *Potomac* has arrived here with later advices from Vera Cruz and dispatches for Washington.

The city was healthy.

The Spanish frigate *Isabel II.* had arrived at Vera Cruz, to communicate with the Spanish Minister.

MIRAMON was at Lagos.

The Liberals were concentrating their forces to attack the capitol.

The Liberals had seized the Bishop of Guadalajara so that they might be able to exchange him for URUGA.

The Miramon Party had threatened to attack Vera Cruz.

The Philadelphia and Baltimore Central Railroad.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Aug. 6.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Philadelphia and Baltimore Central Railroad was held at Avondale on Saturday. A resolution was adopted authorizing a lease of the road within twenty days to the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company, unless a subscription is raised to carry on the road under the present direction.

The National Masonic School of Instruction.

CLEVELAND, Monday, Aug. 6.

The National Masonic School of Instruction, Mr. W. ROBB MORRIS, of Kentucky, President, is now holding its sixth general session in this city, at the Masonic Hall. The opening address was delivered by A. L. HOSMER, of Ohio. Visitors are present from many lodges in this State, New-Hampshire, New-York, Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky, Arkansas, Nebraska Territory, &c.

Reward for the Capture of Cross, the Escaped Forger.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Aug. 6.

District-Attorney MANN offers a reward of $500 for the capture of J. BUCHANAN CROSS, the escaped forger.

Explosion at a Distillery.

EDINBURGH, Ind., Monday, Aug. 6.

The whisky receiver at ADAMS, MCCORMICK & Co.'s distillery, exploded yesterday afternoon, instantly killing MARION MEADOWS. Mr. ADAMS and Mr. PINCKNEY were badly burned, but will recover.

Later from Brazos.

NEW ORLEANS, Monday, Aug. 6.

The steamship *Austin* has arrived here with Brazos dates of the 2d inst., and $164,000 in treasure. The news is unimportant.

Destructive Fire.

SOUTH ROYALTON, Vt., Monday, Aug. 6.

NEWBANK'S factory, a hotel, two stores, a dwelling house, and the bridge across the White River, were destroyed by fire in Gaysville this morning. Loss $100,000.

Non-Arrival of the Canadian.

FARTHER POINT, Monday, Aug. 6,

There are as yet no signs of the steamship *Canadian*, now due off this point with one day's later news from Europe.

Music.

Miss ADELINA PATTI is to sing on Thursday evening next at Saratoga—for with this week Saratoga dies in aromatic pain—and on Tuesday of next week at Newport—for with the next week Newport begins its perfect life. The calendar of fashion could hardly be more charmingly interpreted. The two musical journals of New-York, the *Musical World* and *Musical Review*, have run together like two drops of water into one. "To this marriage of true minds" let us not only "offer no impediment," but contrariwise pronounce upon it our benediction. Mr. WARDWELL, of the *World*, retains the management of the harmonious household, and MRS. BRINKERHOFF, the most graceful of critics, will still wield its attractive terrors. We wish the twain made one an indefinite increase of their domestic circle.

Army and Navy Intelligence.

Capt. W. M. GARDNER, of the Second Infantry, writing from Fort Abercombe, on July 10th, gives an exceedingly interesting account of an impromptu method of crossing a river which was not properly laid down on the maps. His command, consisting of Companies A, D, and I, Second Regiment of Foot, left Fort Randall on the 5th July. The passage of the Missouri was commenced on the 10th and perfected on the 13th. "On the morning of the 27th," reports the captain, "we arrived at the Big Lioul River, which, to my surprise, I found to be a stream about thirty yards wide, very rapid, and not fordable. At the point we struck, there was not a bush or tree in sight. Two wagon-beds were covered with canvas, and a connection made with the opposite bank by men swimming over with a rope. In these beds the command and stores were crossed over, an occupation that occupied twelve hours, the men working constantly. On the 30th, crossed a part of the St. Peter's River in the same manner that we crossed the Lioul." Capt. GARDNER contributes a very valuable description of the route over which he traveled. Parts of it, he judges, are well adapted for settlers.

A report to the War Department states that a new route (through the Spanish Fork Cañons, from Camp Floyd to Green River, is sixty miles shorter than that traveled by FREMONT.

We extract the following paragraph from Special Order 88th, just issued from the Head-quarters of the Army, by command of Gen. SCOTT:

"At the instance of the Secretary of War, an inspection of the Department of the West will be made by Maj. IRWIN MCDOWELL, Adjutant General, assisted by Capt. DAVID JONES, the latter named officer reporting to the former, for his special instruction."

A letter from the Pacific Squadron states that 41 desertions from the United States ships *Lancaster* and *Cyane* had taken place. The crew of the former had not been allowed on shore for 13 months.

Commodore BELL, the recently-appointed Commander-in-Chief of the Mediterranean Squadron, visited his new flag ship yesterday at the Brooklyn Navy-yard.

The Board of Engineers has adjourned. It recommended for promotion Messrs. WILLIAMS and BUMPTON.

The report of the survey held on the steam frigate *Roanoke* states that it would take six months, and cost $90,000, to fit that vessel out for sea.

The Chief Engineer of the Brooklyn Station, Mr. KING, has just completed a work on steam engines and propellers, which is published by F. A. BRADY, No. 24 Ann-street. This is the first book written by a practical naval engineer.

A Paymaster of the African Squadron, who returned as an invalid, has arrived in town. He reports the officers and crews of ships on the African Station to be in good health.

THE LATEST FROM THE SCENE OF WAR.—All remained quiet at Occoquan at the latest advices. Up to Monday at noon, there had been no attempt to replace the pole destroyed on Friday last. Mr. JOSEPH T. JAR

THE SECOND GREAT EASTERN TRIP.

Anticipated Sorrows and Preliminary Fears—Good Weather and an Especially Tight Sea-boat—Incidents of the Voyage—General Impressions and a Deliberate summing up of the Great Eastern's Merit, and the Demerit of her Managers and Directors.

From Our Special Correspondent.

ON BOARD THE GREAT EASTERN,
Out of Sight of Land, Lat and Lon. Unknown,
Friday, Aug. 3, 1860.

You will perceive by the date of this letter that your correspondent is fairly afloat on the "world of waters." Relieved from the vexatious fore-shortenings of brick lanes and chimney tops, our view is shut in by the ringed horizon alone. Nothing resembling an omnibus is to be seen, and if there are any horse railways in this vicinity they are surely submarine. This walking on the waters is decidedly better even than walking in the City Hall Park. There are no lamp-posts here to run against, and no triangular inclosures to vex you with the admonition "Keep off the Grass." Little boys do not meet you at every corner and insist on blacking your boots. Policemen do not threaten you and strong-minded and strong-limbed females do not crowd you off the sidewalks. In view of all these favoring circumstances and delightful exemptions you must excuse your correspondent if he is inadvertently betrayed into any little ecstasies, seemingly inconsistent with the grave dignity of reportorial character.

Allow me to premise by saying that I did not enter on this ocean-trip with any especial enthusiasm. When first suggested it seemed rather a bore than otherwise. Phantoms of famine and of thirst flitted before my eyes. Unsavory lobster salads were apparent in the foreground of a panorama of mental horrors, while water at ten cents the glass dimly glimmered in the distance. To rid myself of the journey I represented to the worthy gentleman who engineers the economy of the TIMES, that the *Great Eastern* had already been gone to death, and that nothing now remained but to sing her requiem. He replied that the great ship had a constitutional aptitude for accidents, and that there was a strong likelihood of her blowing up during this excursion, in which event it was necessary that some one connected with the office should be on board of her. Struck with the force of these observations I yielded a ready assent, slipped a few changes of linen in my carpet sack, and, with Raphaelic resignation, started for the foot of Hammond-street and Annapolis Roads.

On my way to the quay opposite which the *Great Eastern* lay moored, I encountered a sailor-man, who button-holed me as COLERIDGE'S Ancient Mariner did the Wedding Guest. He informed me that the *Great Eastern* would not sail that day, as he had libeled her for a debt of $25, and she was now in the iron clutches of the law. The folly of attempting to bind such a Leviathan with wisps of legal straw was too apparent to merit attention; and I passed on, to meet two irate individuals, who declared that after coming two thousand miles—from away beyond St. Paul—to see the *Great Eastern*, they had been denied access to her decks. In the red-heat of their indignation they forged some very sharp cornered oaths and launched them at the hull of the marine monster;—it was haughty of the Minnesotians, but natural. And yet, as my fortunes for the time being are identical with those of the *Great Eastern*, I trust that their peculiar supplications in her behalf may not meet with a favorable response.

The steamer *Magnolia* was the *Great Eastern's* jolly-boat *pro tem.*, and conveyed the excursionists on board. We numbered 105 persons all told, or about 99 souls, for I discovered that six of the party did not carry these gossamer appendages to humanity done up beneath their waistcoasts. When a mortifying accident happens to a lady in a promiscuous assemblage, and any male members of the party burst into a horse laugh, you may conclude of those men that Nature, in kneading their clay together, forgot or neglected to put in the customary spark of divine material. There is no surer stethoscope to apply to the male breast than such an appeal to natural gallantry. That I did the inglorious six no injustice, was fully proved soon after, at supper time—they displayed too much stomach to admit of any soul.

Between 5 and 6 o'clock, the capstan was manned, to drag the ponderous anchor from its muddy bed. The men indulged in a cockney chaunt. "'Eave, 'O,' very different from the clear, ringing slogan wherein the Yankee sailor delights when an anchor is to be tripped, or a topsail mast-headed. And, if ever there be a time when men are justified in dropping their h's, it is certainly when heaving up an eight-ton anchor with a capstan which refuses to hold the chain, and drops two feet where one is gained. In spite, however, of the lamentable slips which this much to be reprobated capstan made, the anchor, in no inordinate length of time, was hanging pendant from the bow, like a jewel from a lady's ear; the lady gracefully inclined her head and glided through the small craft that thronged the bay, like a Duchess among her tire-women. The Jersey ferry boats stopped their engines in mid-river and kindly refrained from running us down. The little tug boats plied hustly around our vast hull, and appeared to take a diabolical delight in whistling—tacitly taunting the *Great Eastern* with her inability to reply in a like vein. Their conduct was much as though a duck should perform its ablutions in the presence of a Queen and flout her because she couldn't kick her legs in the air and quack. We glided down the bay with no bunting displayed save "the meteor flag of England" at the fore, and the stars and stripes at the mizzen. This was as it should be. What need has a vessel with a clear title to marine nobility of meretritious adornments at her mast-head? It would be as though one should hang the turrets of a cathedral tower with chintz curtains. And here a word in regard to the grand saloon, whereof so much has been said and written. The glaring ornamentation is sadly out of place. The profane hand that spread on the gilt, and the execrable taste that guided that hard, would have painted the interior of the Pantheon bright yellow.

Firing minute guns every half hour, and majestically preserving the calm even keel and tenor of her way, the *Great Eastern* passed the Bar without being tempted to linger, and was soon cutting a rippling wake across the level surface of the open sea. There must have been a perceptible falling of the waters in the bay when her displacing hull was well out of the Narrows. We soon sunk Neversink in the distance, but long after the land was "sunk down" fire works blazed from the shores of Staten Island, and we generously returned the compliment with blue-lights, rockets and Roman candles.

It may have been fancy, but I thought that when the Moon last night rose high enough to peep over our bulwarks, she looked slightly astonished. If the Lunarians have telescopes, you may rest assured that they were all pointed at a big black spot on the disk of the planet Earth last night. True, the moon has looked down on the *Great Eastern* several times before, but they are old-fashioned bodies up there, and do not tire of wonders to soon as we of earth.

If any fault can be found with the *Great Eastern* it is because she has not motion enough. One has not the feeling of being afloat. It is more as if Park-row had surreptitiously got under weigh, or a good-sized country village, steeples, town-house and all, had suddenly tripped its anchor and drifted you out to sea. A sailor loves to feel his ship bounding under him like a steed. In this case there is all the difference that exists between riding on horseback and in an avenue car. The worst feature about the *Great Eastern*, however, is the perfect feeling of security which she begets in the mind of the passenger; she inspires a contempt for the elements which amounts to a tacit impiety. Should a prophet come among us to give warning of a flood, were the *Great Eastern* at moorings near by, we should be too apt to say: Turn on your water—here's our Ark.

If it is not too absurd to conjecture such a possibility, we would like to know what Neptune would do with the ship in the event of her foundering. The only practical use he could make of her would be to tear away the wood-work and partitions, and turn the vast kettle-hull into a frying-pan for whales. He could turn them over in it like porgies.

It seems wrong to call the *Great Eastern* a ship. No one ever heard of a ship's masts emitting steam and smoke, while her tubular mainmast is the escape pipe of auxiliary engines. In this connection let me remark, that if any one expects a description of the huge oscillating wonders of her engine-room, that person is doomed to disappointment. The mysteries of the "cut-off" and the complications of the "cylinders" all belong to that deft artificer, "TUBAL CAIN." As for me, I do not know a piston from a walking beam, and I thank Heaven for it. It is pleasure enough to see such a mass of machinery moving intelligently; the ponderous arms twining and intertwining, yet never once clashing; the shafts revolving as noiselessly as the wheels of a watch, and yet with a power that an army could not bind. "TUBAL CAIN" may profanely dive down into the ship's bowels and feel her pulse and count her heart-beats, yet after attaining this knowledge he must feel as unhappy as a man does at first discovering he has a liver. Let me here avow that I had rather be a component part of that intelligent complication of machinery than to be—well, than to be EDWARD EVERETT.

But I have no apologies to make for the uncleanliness of the *Great Eastern*. In truth, she needs them not; for it is my opinion that cleanliness is her normal condition, and if some day those having charge of her die, as I firmly believe they will, from sheer incapacity to comprehend their own breathing apparatus, she, of her own volition, will purge and purify herself thoroughly throughout. It is by no means my intention to reflect discredit on her officers. They are good-natured primitives enough, and never fail to look unhappy when anything goes wrong; but, unfortunately, their capacity is not commensurate with the capacity of the ship. I did not come on board to find fault. From the first I adopted the Chinese maxim, which inculcates the wisdom of expecting everything and being surprised at nothing. If one goes to see the Pyramids, one expects to swallow a modicum of sand and dirt, and to undergo many unpleasant experiences. Well, the *Great Eastern* was my pyramid. Nor have I undergone a tithe of the discomfort I was fully prepared to encounter. The state rooms and berths are admirably appointed, and by purchasing a third or a half interest in a bedroom steward you can always secure good attendance. Yet one instance of characteristic mismanagement, as illustrative of that which has brought reproach on the noble ship, I must cite. On this excursion we have but few more than a hundred persons on board. With a market like that of New-York at command, nothing would seem easier than to cater to the most fastidious taste in the way of edibles. But listen.

A notice in the saloons announced that breakfast would be served at 8½ o'clock this morning. At precisely 8½ o'clock the bugle sounded, and a hungry crowd rushed below, and seated themselves at table. Not a waiter made his appearance, and for half an hour we sat nibbling cold biscuit and cheese. At 9 o'clock an army of waiters rushed in, bearing smoking viands. The mystery was then explained. The breakfast hour had been changed, but the author of the change kept it religiously to himself. When the passengers came down he said not a word, but allowed them to sit at a cold table and wait. A common sense intimation to the effect that breakfast would not be ready for half an hour, would have saved some grumbling and more profanity. The official looked unhappy when he saw the dissatisfaction of the hungry crowd, but made no other apology. By way of testing what degree of talent pervades *la cuisine*, requested a morsel of chicken, and a waiter brought me a leg, as I firmly believe, of the cock that crowed when Peter denied his Master. Perhaps, however, I am too fault-finding; perfection is rarely attained in any kitchen, especially on shipboard. Now, I have said my grumble, and will grumble no more. A meeting was held on deck, a short time since, and a vote of thanks passed to the officers for bringing the ship safe into Chesapeake Bay. Perhaps they deserved it, but bringing a ship safely from New-York to Point Comfort is not generally thought a feat worthy of special notice. As to certifying to the good qualities of the ship, they have long since been fully proved, and it is now as silly to expatiate upon them as it would be to eulogize the steady motion and correct deportment of a planet.

Last night the occupants of Room No. 11 slept like tops. The jarring of the ship was not much more than that of a sedan chair. We were awakened in the night by a shriek that seemed to come from the depths below, but we concluded that it was only a fish we had run over, and resumed our naps. Several of us turned out unusually early this morning, to see the sun rise from the ocean. Truth compels the confession that he rose very much in his usual style, rather lazily than otherwise, and did not look much refreshed by his bath. To get a better view of the ship's general contour, we climbed into the main top. It is a very good point for observation, though smoky; your hands and clothes get sadly begrimed in ascending the rigging, and on the whole, we wouldn't advise ladies to attempt it.

There is a peculiar feeling attendant on even a short ocean trip, which seems to influence even the most thoughtless. Being out of sight of land should cure even the most chronic namby-pambyism. Ladies are peculiarly susceptible to this "sea change." Matilda Jane at sea is a very different being from the same Matilda Jane at home. I crossed the bay once in company with a Matilda Jane of the most colorless type. At home she always wore white to evening parties, danced languidly, and replied, "Yes, Sir," in an interrogative key, to any remark you made. But I declare to you that the nautical Matilda Jane was quite a sensible young lady. On several occasions I detected her with an opinion of her own, and sometimes with an original remark in her mouth. During that brief voyage I discovered that a skillful touch seldom, if ever, failed to evolve a spark of electricity from her brain, yet on shore no one ever suspected it of being charged to even the extent of a weak leyden jar. How is this? Can I all be owing to the sea breeze? But enough of Matilda Jane.

HAMPTON ROADS—7 P. M.

At about 4 o'clock this afternoon we entered Chesapeake Bay, sighted the "Rip Raps," and at 6 we anchored off Point Comfort. Gay little steamers, filled with excursionists, came over from Norfolk to see the *Great Eastern*, and the way that the ladies of Virginia flirted their fans and waved their handkerchiefs was a joy to all the unmarried men of our party. Had they not suspected us of being abolitionists they might possibly have given warmer demonstrations of their regard, even to the getting up of a quiet little cotillion party on shore for our delectation.

In a brief conversation with a hospitable Southron, I intimated the strong probabilities of LINCOLN'S election. My Southron friend replied that LINCOLN if elected would be shot before ever he reached Washington. I mention this fact that the "Wide Awakes" throughout the North may be on their guard. In the event of LINCOLN'S receiving the suffrages of the people in November, I would suggest that a Battalion of Rail Splitters be organized to convoy him to the Capitol. If a king be "hedged around" why not a Republican President?

The greater number of our company have landed at Point Comfort, and, as a natural consequence, the broad avenues of the *Great Eastern* resemble the streets of a deserted city. This is to be regretted, as we had become quite familiar with each other's faces, and even touched hats on accidentally meeting in our morning rambles. We might have inaugurated the pleasant practice of morning calls, were it not that homes on the *Great Eastern* are so very far apart, and hackney coaches so lamentably scarce. The streets in the upper part of the city, that is, on the upper deck, are admirably adapted for promenades, though subject to one discomfort. When the wind is directly ahead, the cinders have a fatal facility for falling on deck into people's eyes—if the officers were aware of this fact, they would probably put up a notice forbidding cinders to fall "abaft the shaft," or perhaps give orders to extinguish the boiler fires—they seem willing enough to contribute to people's comfort, if they only knew how.

At precisely 6 o'clock we dropped anchor in Hampton Roads, off Old Point Comfort, having made the run from New-York in just 24 hours. If any one is anxious to know the highest rate of speed attained during the voyage, I would respectfully refer them to the ship's log. No time during the trip would it have been safe for passengers to bathe alongside without incurring the risk of being left behind. You must pardon me for giving general impressions instead of details, but knowledge here is indeed pursued under difficulties. There is a reporter on board whose mouth is constantly puckered into a perpetual interrogation point; yet I much question if he has been able to obtain more details than your correspondent. Since the excursion to Cape May, which, according to popular report, did not prove a very triumphant success, the claim of being an American citizen does "not entitle one to much consideration;" and newspaper correspondents are especially at a discount. Again, it does not seem fair to coldly criticise the *Great Eastern*. You could not pull out a watch and deliberately time her without being guilty of a tacit insult. She will go as fast and do as much as is consistent with her dignity, but she is not to be judged by the same rules which measure other ships. If the TIMES chooses to send me to Egypt as "special correspondent," I promise to count the bricks in the pyramids and deliberately measure their length, heighth and breadth with a common tape-line. I will commit any required sacrilege except disrespect to this peerless ship. She is worthy of our esteem and admiration on two special counts. She has shown us not only what Science can achieve, but also what Stupidity can accomplish—it cannot render the former a nullity, but can strangely clog its workings. In fact I rather admire the Directors than otherwise. It is natural to admire anything perfect of its kind, and their stupidity is certainly supreme.

The *Great Eastern* will lie off Point Comfort and astonish the natives until Sunday morning, when she sails for Annapolis Roads. Your correspondent will follow her to the end of her journeyings, and in the event of her blowing up or sinking, the TIMES shall have the earliest and fullest account. C. H. W.

THE GREAT EASTERN AT ANNAPOLIS.

BALTIMORE, Monday, Aug. 6.

A large number of excursionists went down to Annapolis to-day to view the *Great Eastern*. Only some 2,000 persons went on board of her to-day, the day being intensely hot. The President and his Cabinet are expected to visit the ship on Wednesday or Thursday.

ADDITIONAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

ARRIVAL OF THE ARAGO.

The Treaty of Peace Between the Maronites and the Druses.

The Question of French Intervention.

The steamship *Arago*, from Southampton on the 25th of July, arrived at this port at a late hour last night. She brings 163 passengers, among whom are LEWIS CASS, Jr., Esq., Ex-Minister to Rome; Col. AXEL GADOLIN, of the Russian Army; and MONS. R. DE LA FARGO, Vice Consul for France at Richmond.

The advices by the *Arago* have been anticipated by the arrival of the *Australasian* at this port, and the *Kangaroo* off Cape Race, the latter of which left Liverpool on the 25th, but we find details of interest in the London papers of the day of sailing.

Letters from Naples to the 21st inst. announce that GARIBALDI had left Palermo with from 8,000 to 10,000 volunteers. It was expected that GARIBALDI would soon effect a landing on the continent.

Relative to Lord PALMERSTON'S speech on the national defences of England and other exciting topics, the *Times* City Article of Tuesday evening, the 24th, says:

"Whatever may have been the opinion in the House of Commons last night as to the possibility of the speech of Lord PALMERSTON producing panic, it has had no effect of that kind in the city, where his reasoning and statements have been simply regarded as a dignified expression of the thoughts which for two or three years past have occupied the mind of every prudent man. The stock-market opened with a decided tendency to firmness, and the general transactions of the day were at an advance. Consols for money, which left off yesterday at 93 to ⅝, were first quoted 93⅝, and soon improved to 93¾. They then fluctuated between 93 and 93¾, and the final price, notwithstanding a heavy decline at Paris, was 93⅝. For the account the latest bargains were at 93¾. The French telegrams clamoring for 'revenge' in Syria failed to have so much effect as might have been anticipated, in consequence of the reported pacification between the hostile tribes; and the news of the evacuation of Sicily by the Neapolitan troops was regarded favorably."

AFFAIRS IN SYRIA.

The Treaty between the Maronites and the Druses.

The following telegram from Paris announces an official declaration of peace:

PARIS, Tuesday, July 24.

The Porte has instructed its Ambassadors at Paris and London to officially communicate to the Courts of the Tuileries and St. James' the conclusion of peace between the Druses and Maronites on the 10th inst. In this official communication the Porte, although expressing its satisfaction at this happy event, adds, that it will, nevertheless, pursue with the utmost rigor the authors of the recent massacres, and that FUAD PASHA had to that end been invested with the most ample powers, not only to punish the guilty parties, but also to take such measures as would prevent the recurrence of fresh conflicts between the Druses and the Maronites.

FRENCH PREPERATIONS FOR INTERVENTION.

Correspondence of the London Times.

PARIS, Tuesday, July 24—7 A. M.

The announcement in the *Moniteur* yesterday that the propositions made by the Emperor of the French to the Great Powers, with reference to immediate intervention in Syria, were accepted by them, is not sufficiently explicit. The impression obviously intended to be conveyed is that a perfect understanding subsisted between the English and French Governments on the subject of immediate armed intervention. Now, I believe that this perfect understanding does not prevail; because, though there is but one opinion as to the atrocities perpetrated by the Druses, and the apathy or connivance of the Turkish authorities, yet as Turkey is not yet partitioned or annexed, and still possesses, for an independent Power, her assent to measures which deeply interest her may be considered by England as a necessary preliminary. The question now is, whether England will join France, if that assent be not obtained. It was said yesterday that the departure of troops had been adjourned, and the delay was attributed to the fact I have just mentioned. I learn, however, that a dispatch just received from Marseilles states that orders have been received, both at Marseilles and Toulon, to get ready at once all that is within reach for the transport of troops; that the squadron of reserve shall hold itself in readiness to leave at a moment's notice; and that several vessels of the *Messageries imperiales* have been hired for the conveyance of the army. The Emperor went this day to Chalons to review the regiments that leave for the South. It is believed here that when the French land in Syria risings will be attempted in various parts of the Turkish Empire by the Christian populations, and will consequently require further intervention on the part of the Powers. Be this as it may, the general impression is that the days of the Turkish Empire in Europe are well nigh numbered.

The 16th battalion of Foot Chasseurs and the first battalion of the 10th Regiment of Artillery, both at Toulon, are under orders to be ready to leave for Syria. A regiment of the Line, garrisoned in a southern department, has also received similar orders.

A letter from the Camp of Chalons, dated Saturday, says:

"An important piece of news has this moment arrived here; it is spreading through the camp like lightning, and is electrifying the soldiers. The Fifth and Thirteenth Regiments of infantry have received orders to leave for Syria, and they are already preparing to depart. They are to proceed direct to Marseilles, traveling as rapidly as possible, so as to embark on the 23d. In order to complete on a war footing the companies of the two regiments, volunteers have been called for from the other corps in the camp, and on an average upwards of 20 men per company of each of the regiments of the three divisions have already presented themselves. This is ten times the number required. As, in fact, the five brigades of infantry remaining in the camp consist of 20 battalions, each of eight companies, it follows that upwards of 3,000 men have volunteered, though only a few hundred were wanted."

The *Patrie* announces the departure of the Emperor for the Camp of Chalons, and the departure of the Empress for Eaux-Bonnes.

The *Independance Belge* reports that the French Government will give a high military command in Syria to ABD EL-KADER, and employ his influence over the Mahomedan population in favor of the Christians. For the exertions he made to protect them in the late outbreak of fanaticism it is stated that the Arab chief is to receive the Cross of the Legion of Honor.

VIEWS OF THE ENGLISH PRESS.

From the London Times, July 25.

According to the last news from Syria, the Druses and Maronites have come to an agreement which is dignified by the name of a treaty of peace. In other words, the murderers of Zahleh and Damascus, frightened by the appearance of European vessels on the coast, and conscious that their deeds would bring on them a speedy vengeance from the Christian nations, have refrained for the present from the extermination of their opponents, and are willing that their own crimes should be forgotten. Such a conclusion or this history would, no doubt, be grateful to the Druses, to delinquent Turkish commanders, and even to the Sublime Porte itself, but it is not likely that the Western Powers will accept any such settlement of the affair. It is, indeed, rather too much for the patience of Europe that a savage and pagan tribe should suddenly arm, gather round it all the wild and mischievous spirits of a region, carry fire and sword through peaceable villages for a month, and then, augmented to a large army, attack the first city in Syria and slaughter every Christian they could find. But it would be even more provoking if these bands of ruffians, when their bloody work has been done, could, by pretending to make peace with their victims, avert any effectual interference, and leave the way open to a renewal of the massacres next year, or even next month.

What the meaning of a treaty of peace between Druses and Maronites may be we cannot pretend to understand; but this, at least, may be said, that it can give no security to Syria, and ought not for a moment to check the action of the Christian Powers. The war which has broken out is no longer confined to the hills inhabited by these tribes. The scene of the first massacres in the Lebanon, the villages at the foot of Hermon, is but a small part of the region which is now in a flame. No doubt, the Druses were guilty of the first outbreak, and it is to be hoped that they will receive a fitting punishment. But matters are long since out of their hands. They associated with themselves Mussulmans of every kind in the first outbreak, and though they, perhaps, were willing to confine the slaughter to their rivals, their allies soon extended it to Christians in general, and the Druses joined in all that was done. Can any one believe that a peace between the two races inhabiting a mountain range can have any effect on the peace of the East? It now depends on the disposition of some half-dozen different races, dispersed from the Mediterranean to the banks of the Euphrates, and we fear that the whole Mussulman population is about to commence the work of persecution. At Damascus the help of the Mussulmans and the apathy of the Turkish officials, did more than the fury of the Druses for the destruction of the Christians. Aleppo is threatened, and may by this time have fallen, and yet there are there neither Druses nor Maronites. The Christians of the whole region east of Syria are expecting a like doom from the hands of Mahomedans among whom they live; the Druses have no power in these districts, but, having begun the war, it is likely to extend to places where their names are unknown or detested.

We cannot find in any supposed reconciliation of the Lebanon tribes a reason for dissuading France and England from making their appearance in Syria, exacting a heavy vengeance for what has been done, and taking precautions against a repetition of the crime. These massacres have been above everything perfidious and cruel. There may be those who think that they arose only from the feuds of two tribes, both equally savage and obstinate, although one of them affects the doctrines of Christianity. We are compelled to dissent from this view. We do not say that the Druses were instruments in the hands of some Machiavellian Pasha, and that they were prevailed upon to attack their neighbors in order that the Mussulmans might be excited to a general massacre; but we do say that, according to all that has transpired concerning those events, there has been so much complicity between the Non-Christian races that the Druses ought not to be held solely responsible and the Mussulmans acquitted. The spirit which has extended itself for the last three years through the country has been one of bitter resentment against the European States which have saved Turkey, and of spite against the Christians. The Mussulmans have been most subject to these emotions, and if one party has learnt of the other it is the Druses who are the pupils. The war is essentially one between the two great religions which divide mankind, and unless the Mussulmans now receive a lesson the massacres of Syria will soon recommence, and follow the same course as those which have stained with blood other portions of the Empire.

The interference of the Western Powers is, therefore, amply justified; nor do we regret to see France enter upon the enterprise with her usual energy. Turkey has shown her inability to keep order in this province, from which MEHEMET ALI was driven by English arms only twenty years ago. The States which signed the Convention of 1840, and those also which took part in the Treaties of 1856, are responsible for the well-being of the region which on the former occasion they transferred to Turkish authority, and which four years ago they agreed to guarantee to the Sultan, together with the rest of his dominions. When Christians are put to death under the eyes of Turkish Kaimakans, and when their arms are carried away by order of Turkish officers, it is high time to interpose. Turkey has so much to do in other quarters, and is so slow in her movements, that with the best intentions she would be unable to do much. France accordingly is about to send a body of troops to the coast, and England will co-operate by sea. It may be that the knowledge of these facts will stir up the PORTE to more than usual energy, and that FUAD PASHA will endeavor to bring things into order before the combined squadrons commence operations. The news of peace being established between the two tribes seems a move in this direction. But Europe is not likely to be imposed upon by any such shallow artifice. It will be the duty of Christian nations to occupy such points of the coast as will compel the Mussulman races of the country to recognize the necessity of keeping their fanaticism within bounds. It will also be their duty to insist that the Porte shall punish the chiefs and their accomplices, even though some of the culprits are to be found in the Sultan's own army. The political arrangements by which these ends are to be attained appear to us of inferior importance. It is decidedly advisable to treat the Porte as a Government independent and equal with our own, and to occupy the country only under a convention with that Power; but, if such an arrangement cannot be made, then in the name of humanity let us disregard etiquette, and put an end at once to these horrors.

THE REPORTED PROTEST OF THE PORTE.

Correspondence of the London Daily News.

PARIS, Monday Evening.

I hear at a very late hour this evening that the Sultan has protested against the proposed French intervention in Syria; that, in consequence, counter-orders have been sent to the troops which were to have marched from the Chalons camp, and that a fast steamer has been dispatched from Toulon to bring back a portion of the advanced guard of the expeditionary army which had actually embarked. There is not time before the post goes out to verify this news. It reaches me, however, from a good source, and I have reason to believe, taking other symptoms into account, that within a few hours there will be a very great change in the attitude, hitherto so dictatorial, assumed by the Government journals on the Syrian question. They will now be reduced to talk of the Emperor's patience and moderation, and his invariable respect for the opinions and feelings of his neighbors. This will be a good lesson for them after the insolent boast of the *Pays* last night that if England had not come into the French scheme, her dissent would have made no difference whatever. The very *Pays* says to-night that all the "circumstantial details" published by certain journals regarding the expedition to Syria are premature, and that, besides being inevitably incorrect, these statements "may have other inconveniences which everybody will understand." I am aware that a telegram, dated Marseilles, this day, states that orders have been given to hasten the embarkation of troops from Marseilles, Toulon, and Algiers, but assuming this news to have been authentic at the time it was sent, I feel little doubt that the counter-orders alluded to above are of later date.

Passengers by the Arago.

Hon. Lewis Cass, Jr., Col. Axel Gadolin, Russian Army; Capt. R. Stephen, Capt. and Mrs. St. John; Miss Fox and servant; Mons. R. de la Fargo, Chancellor du Consulate de France at Richmond; Mrs. Dr. F. Campbell Stewart, Mrs. Stewart, Dr. Bodinier, Dr. J. C. Dubois, Dr. and Mrs. Beasley, Miss Beadle, Dr. Jegon, Rev. Mr. Hickey, Rev. Mr. Ouellet, Rev. Mr. Vignier, Rev. Mr. Glockmeyer, Rev. Mr. Junknecht, Rev. Mr. Bellocq, Rev. Mr. Morel, Rev. Mr. Shea, Rev. Mr. Dandewand, La Soeur St. Croix, J. A. Voisin, Jr., and friend, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Roch, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bygatt, Mrs and Miss Canfield, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Booser, Mrs. Dittman, 2 children and servant, Mr and Mrs. S. M. Cohen, Mrs. Thos Smith, 2 daughters and 1 son, Mrs. W. J. Loring, Miss Loring, Mr. Mason, Miss Mason, Mrs. Bossange, L. Douveleen, Rev. Mr. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Shield, Mrs. Rando, Mrs. Lutz, Mr. Kain, Mrs. Sbisa and three children, Th. Eglieston, C. Planer, F. Winshaus, N. Bochod, J. D. Bros, J. C. Walkinshaw, George Kreel, Thomas Charpentier, Mr. Dupont, Jr., H. B. Clark, A. J. Jackson, Henry Barnard, S. Corbitt, A. Farandon, Mr. Girard, Mr Haas, Mr. Benjamin, Mr. Schmitt, Mr. J. Mirandon, Mrs. Veillaro, Miss A. Meyer, Mr. and Mrs Fischer and child, Miss F. Heller, Miss E. Bloch, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Ferry, Mr. J. E. Isaacs, Mr. M. Hirsch, Mr. Abernby, Mr. Doperman, Mr. F. Rothschild, Mr. J. Metzger, Mr. A. Reymann, Mr. Kochinsperger, Miss F. Klein, Miss E. Mayer, Miss H. Dreyfus, Miss S. Weill, Mrs. C. Cohn and child, Mr. and Mrs L. Morits and 7 children, Mr. F. and Mr. P. Bartoleman, Mr. B. Rothschild, Mr. J. Hopkins and daughter, Mr. Couperenix, Mr. T. W. Lowe, Miss Pelerin, Mr. Schiele, J. Miranda, Mr. M Swarez, McKruger, Mr. J. Pedroso, Mr. Gerald, Mr Zorr Eich, Mr. I. Zaldivivo, Mr. Y Sanchez, Mr. Falkland, Mr. Hernandes and servant, Mr. J. Hernandez and servant, Mr. Charles Betz, Mr. Munos and servant, Wm. L. St. Cyr, Mr. L. Saarbach, Mr. M. Lockley, Mr. Langlois and child, L. Leone, Mr. Mercier, 3 sons, Mr Sam. Frank, Mr. I. Levi, Mr. H. Mayer, Miss Oppenheier, Mr. Durlseber, Mrs. Krees, Mr. and Mrs J. B. Janos 2 children and servant, Mr. S. Mayer, Mr. Lagros, Mr. A. Cahn, Mr. L. Cahn, Mr. J. Wolff, Mr. Brunean, Mr. Aorillier, Mr. J. Muscanti, M. F. Barman, Mr. Ro Bloch, Mr. J. Heymann, Mr. A. Benin, Mr. John Muller, Mr. Tannebaum, Mr. Schumaker, Mr. Cahn and daughter, Miss C. Hodel, Mr. and Mrs. Eedes, Mr. Thos Ellis, Mr. Chas. Raper, Mr. F. S. Renout.—Total 183.

City Letters.

NEW YORK, Saturday, Aug. 4, 1860.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Your remarks on the subject of the City letter post exactly describe my own annoyances from the new system. I have now lying before me no less than three City letters, on each of which is affixed a *three-cent stamp*, and yet on each of which are "branded" the words, in an official form, "One cent due," the said one cent being in each case collected. Here, then, for three notes written in one quarter of the City and delivered in another, the Government receives *twelve cents*. The same notes would have been delivered by the "private expresses" for *three cents*. I confess I do not see the particular advantage of this change to the letter-writing public.

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MARRIED.

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DIED.

MORIARTY.—In this City, on Sunday afternoon, Aug. 5, aged 20 years and 1 month, HENRY EDWARD MORIARTY, son of Edward Moriarty, Esq., and nephew of Rev. James S. O'Sullivan and Sir Thomas Moriarty.

His friends and acquaintances, the graduates of the Free Academy of Irish, and the members of the Phœnecombian Society, are invited to attend his funeral from the residence of his afflicted parents, No. 135 Avenue B., this (Tuesday) afternoon at 3 o'clock.

LENNY.—In this City, on Monday, Aug. 6, NETTIE GRAY, aged 1 year and 13 days, only child of P. D. and M. J. Lenny.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence No. 347 West 15th-st., this (Tuesday) morning, Aug. 7, at 10 o'clock, without further notice.

BOLDEN.—In this City, on Sunday morning, Aug. 5, ELIZA, daughter of Dr. S. H. S and Ann M. Bolden.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend the funeral, from her brother's residence, Tremont, to-morrow, (Wednesday,) at 1 o'clock P. M.

RINTOUL.—In this City, on Sunday, Aug. 5, ROBERT C. B., infant son of James and Elizabeth Rintoul.

VALENTINE.—In this City, on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 4, CORNELIA, wife of LOUIS P. Valentine, and eldest daughter of the late George H. Hill, in the 27th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, without further invitation, from her late residence, No. 60 East 28th-st., on Tuesday morning, Aug. 7, at 11 o'clock precisely. Her remains will be taken to Fordham, Westchester County, for interment.

☞ Batavia

MURDER AT THE SUSPENSION BRIDGE AT NIAGARA.—The *Herald*, published at Niagara City, gives the particulars of a murder at Suspension Bridge, Niagara. The man who was murdered was JOHN KELLY, but who slew him does not appear. It was a running fight, in which a number were engaged. It appears that some Germans were enjoying themselves in a lager saloon down town, kept by Mrs. HAMMER, when KELLY, accompanied by a friend, came in, and was shortly after followed by two Canadians, one of whom called for beer and cigars, treating some eight or ten of the party, for which the landlady charged him some thirty cents. The Canadian handed her six cents, but she told them that was not enough. They then attempted to pass out the front door when the landlady placed herself in front of the door to prevent their egress, but KELLY pushed her away, and they went out. One of the parties now in the lock-up said KELLY should settle with the landlady for the liquor, as he was the cause of their going away without paying for it, which KELLY refused to do; he said it was none of their business. The Canadians then came back again and a general *melée* ensued, during which the Germans returned to the back door and endeavored to get out of the house, but the Canadians ran around to intercept them. The Germans succeeded in getting out of the house, however, and the fight was therefore transferred from the house to the street, where, after a few minutes, KELLY was killed. There was found opposite the Globe Hotel, four clubs, from three to five feet long, and one about three inches and the others about two inches in diameter, which, from the nature of the wounds, is more than probable were the instruments by which the death was caused. Three or four persons have been arrested.

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POLITICAL.

YORKVILLE ATTENTION!—THE YORKville Lincoln and Hamblin Club have their third public meeting at Sarwood Hall, corner of 85th-st. and 4th-av., at 8 o'clock THIS EVENING. Speeches will be made by Hon. JOSEPH HOXIE, HENRY S. SMITH and A. M. PALMER, Esq. Come all. Members who have signed the Roll will meet at 7½ to elect officers of the Club.

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AS COOK.—WANTED, BY A PROTESTANT young woman, a situation as cook, who understands cooking in all its branches; is an excellent baker of bread and biscuit. Has no objection to a short distance in the country. Has excellent City reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 124 4th-av., near 12th st.

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AS COACHMAN AND GARDENER.—WANTed, a situation, by a young man as coachman and vegetable gardener, who is highly recommended to fill both capacities, and the parties with whom he has lived can be consulted about his previous good character for sobriety and industry. Address C. R., Box No. 202 *Times* Office, for two days.

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MALES.

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AS GROOM, GARDENER, &c.—A RESPECTable, steady Scotchman desires a situation in city or country where he could make himself generally useful; is a careful hand over horses, a good plain gardener and willing to put his hand to any kind of work. Apply at No. 378 6th-av. Wages moderate.

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NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the Cleveland, Painesville and Ashtabula Railroad, will be held at the office of the Company, in Cleveland, Ohio, on Tuesday, the 14th day of August next at 2 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before them. The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed on the 13th until the 15th of August.
GEO. B. ELY, Secretary.

NEW-YORK PRODUCE EXCHANGE CO.—The subscribers to the stock of this Company are hereby notified that the third installment of twenty per cent. has this day been called for by resolution of the Board of Trustees, payable on or before the 7th August, at the office of the Treasurer, William B. Newman, No. 78 Pearl-st. FRANCIS M. FRANCIS, Vice-President.
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AN ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS OF the QUICKSILVER STEAM COMPANY, for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, 8th-av. and 23d-st., on WEDNESDAY, the 8th instant. The poll will be open from 5 to 6 P. M.
GEO. C. PATERS, Secretary.
New-York, Aug. 2, 1860.

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DIVIDEND.—OCEAN BANK—THE BOARD OF Directors of the Ocean Bank have this day declared a semi-annual Dividend of Three and one-half per Cent (3½) out of the profits of the last six months, payable to the Stockholders on and after FRIDAY, Aug. 10. The transfer books will be closed from the 4th to the 10th inst., inclusive.—NEW-YORK Aug. 1, 1860.
CHAS PALMER, Asst. Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE PETER COOPER INSURANCE CO.,
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DIVIDEND.—THE DIRECTORS HAVE DECLARED a Dividend of Six per Cent., payable at this Office on the 1st of August next. The transfer books will be closed from 25th inst. to Aug. 1. By order.
WM. H. RISLEY, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PEOPLE'S FIRE INS. CO.,
NEW-YORK, July 12, 1860
THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE DECLARED a semi-annual dividend of FOUR (4) PER CENT., payable on and after MONDAY, the 16th July inst.
By order, W. F. UNDERHILL, Secretary.

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Office, Mechanics' Bank Building, No. 31 Wall-st.,
NEW-YORK, Aug. 2, 1860.
THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE THIS day declared a surplus Dividend of Nineteen and One-half per Cent., payable on and after the 6th inst.
GEO. D. CRARY, Secretary.

THE KNICKERBOCKER STAGE COMPANY have this day declared a dividend of three per cent. for the last six months, out of the earnings, payable on and after the 9th instant, until which date the transfer books will be closed.
GEO. C. PETERS, Treasurer.
NEW-YORK, Aug. 2, 1860.

MARINE BANK, Tuesday, July 31, 1860.
DIVIDEND.—THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF this Bank have this day declared a dividend of three per cent on the capital stock, payable on and after MONDAY, Aug. 13. The transfer books will be closed until the 14th of August. J. C. BEACH, Cashier.

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OFFICE OF THE EXCHANGE FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
No. 28 Wall-st., NEW-YORK, July 19 1860.
DIVIDEND.—THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF this Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of six per cent., payable on and after August 1. Transfer books will be closed from 25th inst. until that date.
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HUNDREDS OF THE UNFORTUNATE are disappointed of a cure by not calling on Dr. HUNTER at first. The Hunterian Dispensary, No. 2 Division-st., New-York City, established in 1826, for the Preservation of Human Life. PRIVATE CONSULTATION.—Dr. Hunter has for thirty years confined his attention to diseases of a certain class, in which he has treated not less than fifty thousand cases without an instance of failure. His great remedy, HUNTER'S RED DROP, cures certain diseases when regular treatment and all other remedies fail; cures without dieting or restriction in the habits of the patient; cures without the disgusting and sickening effects of all other remedies; cures, in new cases, in less than six hours. It roots out the poisonous taint the blood is sure to absorb, unless this remedy is used. It is $1 a vial, and cannot be obtained of any person but at the old office. No. 2 Division-st. Beware of reading that treats of the evil effects of early abuse and indulgence, is embellished with elaborate colored engravings, portraying every feature and phase of disease, exposes the fallacy of the ordinary modes of treating for the cure of local as well as hereditary maladies, and gives the only safe and infallible remedy for expunging every trace of the virus from the system.

RAILROADS.

SHORT LINE TO HARRISBURG
VIA CENTRAL RAILROAD OF NEW-JERSEY,
WITHOUT CHANGES OF CARS.
An Express train leaves New-York daily (Sunday excepted) from foot of Cortlandt-st. at
6 O'CLOCK A. M. FOR HARRISBURG
Via Easton, Allentown and Reading, connecting at Reading with Philadelphia and Reading Railroad for Pottsville and Philadelphia, and at Harrisburg with mail trains on Pennsylvania Central Railroad, east and west; Northern Central Railroad, north and south, and with the Cumberland Valley Railroad, without change of cars from Jersey City to Harrisburg, arriving at Harrisburg at 11:40 noon.
NEW-YORK, May 28, 1860.

RAILROAD TO LONG BRANCH, N. J.—RARITAN AND DELAWARE BAY RAILROAD. On and after July 9, the steamboats RIP VAN WINKLE and ALICE PRICE will leave Robinson-st., Wharf (north side) at 8 A. M. and 4 P. M., connecting with cars at Port Monmouth. Returning, will leave Long Branch at 6½ A. M., 8½ A. M., and 2½ P. M. The ALICE PRICE will make an extra trip EVERY SATURDAY AFTERNOON at 6 P. M., from foot of Robinson-st., meeting an extra train for Long Branch and other stations.

NEW-YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD.—FARE $2 TO ALBANY.—On and after Monday, June 25, 1860, trains will leave 26th-st. station, New-York, as follows: For Williams' Bridge, and all way stations, 7:40 and 11 A. M. and 3:30 P. M., for White Plains, and all way stations, 2:30, 4 and 6 P. M.; [for White Plains and all way stations, 6:45 P. M. from White-st. Dépôt.] for Croton Falls 8:45 A. M., stopping at Williams Bridge and stations above; for Dover Plains, 4:30 P. M., stopping at White Plains and stations above; this train runs to Millerton Saturday evenings; for Albany, 10:15 A. M., Express Mail Train, stopping at White Plains, Bedford, Croton Falls, and stations north. Returning, will leave Williams Bridge, stopping at all way stations, 6:40 and 9 A. M., and 1 P. M.; White Plains, stopping at all way stations, 5 and 7 A. M., 4:15 and 7 P. M.; Dover Plains, 6 A. M., stopping at all stations north of Fordham; this train leaves Millerton every Monday morning at 5:25 A. M.; Croton Falls, 6 P. M., Stopping at all stations north of Fordham; Albany, 9 A. M., stopping at all stations north of White Plains.
JOHN BURCHILL, Asst. Supt.

HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.—FOR ALBANY AND TROY, CONNECTING WITH TRAINS NORTH AND WEST.—From MONDAY, April 30, 1860, Trains will leave Chambers-st. Station as follows: Through Express Trains, 7 and 11 A. M. and 5 P. M.; Albany Mail, 6 A. M.; Sleeping Car Train at 9:30 P. M., (Sundays included;) Way Trains for Sing Sing, 9:45 A. M., and 4:15 and 7 P. M.; for Poughkeepsie, 1:15 and 3:20 P. M.; for Tarrytown, 3:35 and 10:45 P. M.; for Peekskill, 5:30 P. M.; from 31st st.—Buffalo and Northern Lightning News Train, 3:40 A. M.; Emigrant, 6:15 P. M. Passengers taken at Chambers, Canal, Christopher and 31st-sts. Trains for New-York leave Troy at 4:45 (Sundays included) and 8:45 and 10:10 A. M., and 3:45 and 5:05 (Sundays included,) and 8:30 P. M., and Albany about half an hour later. A. F. SMITH, Superintendent.

NEW-YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD.—Summer arrangement for pleasure travel. Trains leave 26th-st. station as follows:
10:15 A. M.—Express for Albany, Troy, Saratoga, Sharon Springs, Niagara Falls, Lake George, Lebanon Springs, and Lake Mahopac, connecting at Albany with New-York Central Railroad for Sharon Springs, Niagara Falls, and all places west. Also, with trains for Saratoga and all points north.
8:45 A. M.—For Croton Falls, connecting at Golden's Bridge with stages for Lake Waccabuc, and at Croton Falls with stages for Lake Mahopac.
4:30 P. M.—For Dover Plains, connecting at Golden's Bridge with stages for Lake Waccabuc, and at Croton Falls, with stages for Lake Mahopac.
JOHN BURCHILL, Asst. Supt.

HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.—SUMMER PLEASURE TRAVEL.—Five daily trains (Sundays excepted) for LAKE MAHOPAC, WEST POINT, CATSKILL, HUDSON, ALBANY, TROY, SARATOGA, SHARON SPRINGS, RICHFIELD SPRINGS, TRENTON FALLS, NIAGARA FALLS, LAKE GEORGE, WHITE MOUNTAINS, MONTREAL and QUEBEC. Elegant saloon cars for families to SARATOGA SPRINGS without change of cars. Baggage checked through, and tickets good on Company's steamers, Chambers-st. and 31st-st. For particulars as to trains, see Time Tables.

NEW-YORK AND ERIE RAILROAD.—Dunkirk Express at 7 A. M. for Dunkirk, Buffalo and Canandaigua and principal stations. Mail at 9:15 A. M., for Dunkirk and intermediate stations. This train remains over night at Elmira. Way, at 3:45 P. M., for Middletown, Newburgh and intermediate stations. Night Express, daily, at 5 P. M., for Dunkirk, Buffalo, Canandaigua, and Principal Stations. The Train of Saturday stops at all Mail-train Stations, and runs only to Elmira.
CHAS. MINOT, General Superintendent.

MORRIS AND ESSEX RAILROAD.—Trains leave Cortlandt st. for Schooley's Mountain, Budd's Lake, and Lake Hopatcong, at 8:30 A. M. and 3:30 P. M. After June 30, Saturday Express train at 5:10 P. M.; returning, leaves Hackettstown on Mondays, at 6 A. M.; arriving in New-York at 8:35.

LONG ISLAND R. R.—TRAINS LEAVE SOUTH Ferry, Brooklyn, for Greenport at 10 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.; North Islip, 10 A. M., 9:30 and 5:35 P. M.; Syosset, 12 M. and 6:30 P. M.; Hempstead, 10 A. M., 12 M. and 4:30, and 6:35 P. M.; Jamaica, 10 A. M., 12 M., 4, 4:30, 5:35 and 6:46 P. M.

NEW-JERSEY RAILROAD.—FOR PHILADELPHIA AND THE SOUTH AND WEST, FROM JERSEY CITY.—Mail and Express Line. Leaves New-York at 7, 9 and 11 A. M.; 4 and 6 P. M., fare $3; 12 M., fare $2 25. Through baggage checked in 7 A. M. and 6 P. M.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR THE PUBLIC PRINTING.—Pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled "An act to provide for the Public Printing," passed March 5, 1842; and an act entitled "An act concerning the Laws, Journals, and Documents of the Legislature," passed May 14, 1847, the undersigned hereby give notice that they will receive sealed proposals until the fourth day of September next, at noon of that day, for executing the printing for the Senate and Assembly, and for the Secretary of State, the Comptroller, the State Treasurer, the Attorney-General, the State Engineer and Surveyor, the Superintendent of the Bank Department, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, the Adjutant-General, the Commissioners of the Canal Fund, the Commissioners of the Land Office, the Canal Auditor, the Superintendent of the Insurance Department, and all other printing for any and every of the State officers, for the term of two years from the expiration of the present contract.
Separate bids will be received for the Senate, Assembly or Public Offices, or for the Printing of either of the Public Offices, the whole to be performed in the same style and execution as that furnished on the 5th March, 1846.
For the Senate and Assembly Journals, the proposals should state the price for composition, press-work, paper, pressing and folding of each signature of eight pages, 800 copies, and also for any additional number that may be required.
For the Senate and Assembly Bills, the proposals should state the price for composition, press-work, paper, pressing, folding and stitching each signature of four pages, 350 copies, ordered by either house, and the rate for one hundred additional copies of each signature that may be required—the paper to be cap writing paper of quality equal to that used for the Senate in 1846, weighing not less than 25 pounds to each ream of 17½ by 28½ inches, and the work in all respects to be executed in the same manner—the lines in each section of the bills to be numbered, and with sufficient space between them for interlineating words.
For the Senate and Assembly Documents, the proposals should state the price for composition, press-work, paper, pressing, folding, gathering and stitching each signature of eight pages, 800 copies, and the price for printing and furnishing not exceeding 500 additional copies; also the price for not exceeding 1,000 additional copies; also the price for not exceeding 3,000 additional copies; also the price for not exceeding 5,000 additional copies; also the price for all additional copies over 5,000. Said proposals to state a sum which the total printing for the Senate shall not exceed; also a sum which the total printing of the Assembly shall not exceed.
Each page of documents or journals must be set in Small Pica type when practicable, containing 1568 ems; but should it be necessary to put it in smaller type, or what is termed rule, or rule and figure work, the size of the page must not be reduced. When it is necessary to put the matter in leaded work, or estimated in the same manner as though it was printed in page form, allowing 16 pages or a double signature for each sheet of 19 by 24 inches, and the allowance thus made is to include every charge. The paper to be used for the Legislative Documents and Journals must weigh at least 20 pounds to the ream of 19 by 24 inches, and its quality must be equal to the best used in printing the Senate Documents of 1846.
Samples of the blanks and other printing required for the Public Offices and the Canals, may be seen at the Canal Department and the other Departments; and the proposals must state the price by the hundred for blanks of every description used in any of the departments.
For all printing in book or pamphlet form for any of the State Offices, or for circulars or cap or post paper, the proposals should state the price for 1000 ems for composition, restricting the estimate to the printed lines, and separately the price for paper and press-work, folding and stitching for 100 copies, and the rate per hundred for each additional hundred required.
To every proposal or bid for the performance of all or any portion of the printing above specified, (and but one proposal or bid will be received from any one person, firm, or party in interest, for the performance of the same work,) there must be annexed a guarantee, subscribed by a guarantor of sufficient ability, that the person or persons making such bid, will, if the same be accepted, enter into a contract according to the terms thereof, and give the security required by law in such case, within ten days from the time he or they shall receive notice of the acceptance of his or their bid; and to every such guarantee there must be annexed a certificate of the Secretary of State, Comptroller, Attorney-General, Treasurer, State Engineer and Surveyor or the Judge of the county where the guarantor resides, that the guarantor is a man of property and able to make good his guarantee.
Each proposition must be sealed up with the guarantee, and directed on the outside, "Proposals for Assembly Printing" or for any other portion of the printing embraced in this notice, as the case may be; and when thus sealed up and directed, the proposition should be inclosed in a separate envelope, and directed to the undersigned, or either of them.
ALBANY, July 21, 1860.
D. E. FLOYD JONES, Secretary of State.
ROBERT DENNISTON, Comptroller.
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OFFICE OF CLERK OF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS,
No. 7 CITY HALL, NEW-YORK, AUG. 1, 1860.
SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at this office until 15th day of August at 12 M., for 250 to 300 tons of the best anthracite coal, for the use of the courts and offices of the County—the ton to be calculated at 2,300 pounds. Also, proposals for 50 cords of kindling-wood, (pine,) cut and split for use. The said coal and wood to be delivered at such times and places as the Committee may designate. The Committee reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.
ELIJAH F. PURDY,
WM. C. CONNER,
WM. M. TWEED,
THOS. LITTLE,
JAMES DAVIS,
ORISON BLUNT. } Committee.

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MATRIMONIAL.—AN AMERICAN GENTLEman, residing in this City, with an unsullied character and reputation, gently born, good-looking, intelligent and refined, warm-hearted and domestic, strictly temperate, member of Episcopal Church, holding a high position, and having a self-support, in the vigor of middle manhood, (forty seven,) and still unwedded, adopts this novel method (his lady acquaintances being few and ineligible) of making known his sincere desire to form a matrimonial alliance with a young lady or young widow, without any impediment. She must be respectably connected, of pleasing appearance, good disposition, educated and refined, and possess some property. Address, with particulars, in good faith, L. H. B., New-York Post office.

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THE CUNARD LINE,
STEAM FROM NEW-YORK TO LIVERPOOL VIA QUEENSTOWN.
THE BRITISH AND NORTH AMERICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.
ETNA, Capt. ANDERSON.
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JURA, Capt. MCOMB. KEDAR, Capt. T. COOK.
And other magnificent and powerful steamers,
Will sail from New-York to Liverpool every alternate THURSDAY, calling at Queenstown to land passengers and dispatches.

JURA	Thursday, 2d August.
AUSTRALASIAN	Thursday, 16th August.
ETNA	Thursday, 30th August.

RATES OF PASSAGE TO QUEENSTOWN OR LIVERPOOL.

Cabin	$75
Steerage	30

Steerage return tickets, available for six months, from Liverpool or Cork, $60.
Persons wishing to send for their friends can obtain Certificates of Passage in the Steerage at the following rates:
From Liverpool to New-York $40
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An experienced surgeon on board.
For steerage passage apply to
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CITY AND COUNTY AFFAIRS.

OPPOSITION TO THE EXTENSION OF CHAMBERS-STREET.

A meeting of tax-payers opposed to the extension of Chambers-street was held, yesterday afternoon, at Tammany Hall, about thirty persons being present.

Mr. C. E. Aymar was called to the chair, and Mr Jireh Bull appointed Secretary.

Mr. Benjamin Whitlock desired to know what measures were in contemplation by those who called the meeting, to carry out the objects proposed. He was as much opposed to the extension of Chambers-street as any one present, but he thought the time for tax-payers to make their objections had passed. The usual course had been pursued with regard to the extension; Commissioners had been appointed by the Supreme Court, of which notice had been given in the usual way, and if he or other tax payers had neglected to attend to their interests, and interpose their objections in time, they must suffer the consequences. If any one could propose a practical mode of stopping the extension, he was ready to join them; but if not, he could see no good result to be gained by the meeting.

Mr. Wooley said that they proposed to obtain a temporary injunction from the Court, and, then, if they could not get relief from the Corporation, to apply to the Legislature.

Mr. Whitlock could not see the practicability of such action, the Supreme Court would not grant an injunction against their own proceeding; it was folly to expect relief from the Corporation; and as for applying to the Legislature, the only thing they could do would be to effect a change in the laws for laying out streets, which would be a gigantic task, and, even if accomplished, could not possibly affect the extension of Chambers-street, for opposing which the meeting was called.

Mr. Bull took the same view of the subject as Mr. Whitlock.

On motion, the whole matter was then disposed of by the appointment of Mr. Wooley as a Committee of one to make inquiries regarding the practicability of any action by which the proposed extension of Chambers-street could be prevented, said Committee being empowered to call another meeting if he should deem it expedient.

The meeting then adjourned.

STATEMENT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SANITARY INSPECTION.

ABATEMENT OF NUISANCES.

Complaints, 194; notices serve', 213; abatements under notice, 219; sinks and water closets cleaned, 375; loads of night-soil removed, 1,346; dead horses removed, 18; dead cows, 5; dead dogs and cats, 506; barrels of offal, 3,010.

DISEASED MEATS SEIZED AND REMOVED.

Beef, 1,450 lbs; veal, 2,000 lbs; fish, 1,750 lbs; poultry, 250 lbs.; other meats, 1,781 lbs.

STREET CLEANING.

Number of laborers employed, 262; carts, 308; loads of ashes and garbage removed, 7,824; loads of street dirt, &c., 5,933.

Amount earned by sweepers	$1 408 87
Amount earned by dirt carmen	1,136 69
Amount earned by ash cartmen	1,804 95
Total	$4,349 91

GENERAL CITY NEWS.

MEETING OF THE MANAGERS OF THE AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.—At the last meeting of the Managers of the American Bible Society, five new auxiliaries were recognized: one in Ohio, one in Georgia, and three in Texas. Letters were received from Rev. Dr. BUTLER, Sarcily, India, Superintendent of Methodist Missions, returning thanks for former grants of books by this Society, and requesting further aid; from Rev Mr. BUSHNELL, of the Gaboon Mission, Western Africa, reporting the good use, by the natives, of portions of the Scriptures published in Mpongwe, and the progress of translation, also asking a grant of Bibles and Testaments in English, for the supply of the shipping; from Rev. Mr. BLISS, Agent for the Levant; Rev. Mr. BRIGGS, Secretary B. & F. B. S.; and Rev. Dr. ANDERSON, Secretary A. B. C. F. M., in regard to a proposed revision of the Turkish Bible by Rev. Dr. SCHAUFFLER, under the joint auspices of the two societies; from Rev. C. H. WHEELER and others, a committee of the North Armenian Mission, Kharpoot, Asia Minor, showing the increasing demand for the Scriptures among Turks, Bulgarians, and Armenians in that field, and urging the importance of increased efforts to supply that demand; from Rev. A. BEN OLIEL, Oran, informing of the successful opening of a Bible depôt in that place, and asking a grant of books for distribution; from A. N. SAWELL, Esq., Hayti, acknowledging the receipt of the Bible and accompanying letter to be presented to the President of the Republic, and assuring of the pleasure with which he will carry out the wishes of the Society; from Agent THOMPSON, Mexico, giving account of a visit to Monterey, and the work opening for Bible operations in that vicinity; from Rev. Dr. CROOKS, accepting appointment as a member of the Committee on Versions; and from Rev. Dr. FORSYTH, reporting his attendance, as delegate of this Society, at the late Anniversary of the Bible Society of Virginia.

THE HOMŒOPATHIC MEDICAL COLLEGE.—The Homœopathic Medical College of the State of New-York, incorporated by the last Legislature, is now fully organized and ready to commence operations. The new corporation is authorized to hold real and personal property in this City to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars, to establish a library and museum, and to confer the degree of Doctor of Medicine—occupying, in short, a position equal to that of any other medical college, in respect to rights, privileges and immunities. The homœopathic physicians of the City have striven for a number of years to obtain this recognition. Having at last succeeded in the attempt, they propose to establish the new institution upon a broad and liberal basis. The President of the Board of Trustees is Ex Mayor TIEMANN, and the Faculty chosen by the Board consists of the following members: Drs. BRADLEY, WARD, PAYNE, HUNT, SEMPLE, S. R. KIRBY, MONTAGNIE, RODMAN and CARMICHAEL. Dr. MONTAGNIE is Professor of General and Descriptive Anatomy, and Dr. KIRBY Professor of Materia Medica and Therapeutics. Dr. BRADLEY assumes the Professorship of Surgery and Surgical Pathology. The numbers of the homœopathists having increased so largely of late, it is not surprising that students are rapidly filling up the first class in the College.

QUARANTINE DAMAGES.—The testimony relative to the damages arising from the Staten Island riots having all been put in, the counsel for Richmond County yesterday morning summed up in behalf of his clients, the Supervisors of that county, and reviewed a portion of the evidence adduced in behalf of various claimants. Mr. BRADLEY criticised the act of the Legislature creating the Commission as vague, as it did not indicate how the fire occurred, leaving it open for any and everybody to put in claims for any losses by fire; he also asserted that the losses had been exaggerated, and had increased unduly since the sitting of the Commission. He made special effort to disparage the claim of Dr. THOMPSON, the Health Officer. After a short recess, Mr. JOHNSON, the counsel for the claimants, replied effectually and at considerable length to these remarks. The Commissioners will take the necessary time to prepare and submit their report.

AMONG THE NINETIES.—Yesterday was the hottest day of this hot Summer so far. The sky was without a cloud, no breeze was stirring, and the sun did his utmost in the way of burning, scorching and blazing. In very cool places, where no sunshine ever makes its way—out-of-the-world places, which always have a damp, moldy smell about them, the thermometer was comparatively well-behaved, and only went up to 84 degrees. In well shaded places, but without the aforesaid dampness, 90 and 91 degrees were the favorite figures. Under awnings, still in the shade, but where the outer-heated atmosphere, fresh from the glare of the sun, came in, the mercury stood at 95. What it reached in the sun could only be inferred from experience, for scarcely any figures below boiling, or broiling, point, could do the solar rays full justice yesterday.

THE NEW-YORK MEDICAL COLLEGE.—We hear that a re-organization of the New-York Medical College (in Thirteenth-st. near Fourth av.) has been effected. A very large corps of professors have been selected from various cities of the South and West as well as New-York and the vicinity, which insures a course of lectures for the coming winter equal to any yet given. The requisitions of the American Medical Association are the basis upon which this fresh crystallization is to be effected. It is to be hoped that this ready acquiescence with the popular will of the profession will be met by a reciprocal co-operation, and that a large class of students will welcome the opening of this respectable institution, which now enters with cheering auspices upon its eleventh year.

GRAND ENCAMPMENT OF I. O. OF O. F.—The annual meeting of the Grand Encampment of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, was held at Odd Fellows Hall last evening. The following officers were elected and installed for the ensuing year: John Westerfield, of No. 17, Grand Patriarch; Thos. Brennan, of No. 3, Grand High Priest; Moses Comfort, of No. 12, Grand Senior Warden; John J. Davies, of No. 1, Grand Scribe; George Smith, of No. 30, Grand Treasurer; D. W. C. Langdon, of No. 3, Grand Junior Warden; Samuel McDonald, of No. 1, Grand Sentinel.

A CHARGE IN THE SUN.—Mr. BEACH, of the New-York *Sun*, who for twenty-five years has identified himself with that prosperous and wholesome luminary, yesterday retired from the proprietorship of the journal and from journalism as a profession. To-morrow evening he will take a friendly social farewell of his fellow-journalists, and introduce to the world of the Press his successor, Mr. CHURCH, for whom we can frame no kinder wish than that his career may be as widely useful and as honorably successful as that of his predecessor.

TAMMANY SOCIETY—ELECTION OF A SACHEM.—There was a regular meeting of Tammany Society last evening, during which the election of a Sachem to fill the vacancy occasioned by the election of Mr. JAMES CONROE, a Grand Sachem, came up for consideration. Soon after an election had been decided upon a ballot was taken, and ISAAC BELL, Jr., was elected unanimously. The meeting then adjourned.

TYPHUS FEVER.—We learn that there is a very unusual amount of typhus fever in this City at the present time—mostly in the hospitals. This disease is almost unknown in New-York City. The late Capt. CRABTREE died of ship fever contracted by exposure in the discharge of his duties as Vice-President of the Commissioners of Emigration.

Union Camp Meeting at Yonkers.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES IN THE WOODS—THE CAMP TO CONTINUE A WEEK.

A Christian Union Camp Meeting commenced yesterday at Yonkers, N. Y., and will continue during the present week. It is in continuation of the Union Camp Meeting conducted at the same place last year under the auspices of the Methodist Protestant and Congregational Methodist churches. It originated in a call by a number of Congregational and Methodist Protestant churches, and Messrs. Israel Barker and B. Hibbard of Brooklyn, J. D. Brown of Yonkers, Samuel Curry of New-York, and Thomas P. Bunsel of Williamsburgh, were appointed a Committee, with full power to attend to all the requisite arrangements. Among the denominations participating are the Methodist Protestant, Congregational Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, Congregationalist, Reformed Dutch, Episcopalian, Methodist Episcopal, and Wesleyan Methodist, principally from New-York, Brooklyn and Yonkers. Among the clergymen who are to officiate in the exercises, are Henry Ward Beecher, President Smith, of the Methodist Protestant Conference; Prof. Matteson, of New-York; Ezra Withey, of Attorney-street Church; Rev. Mr. Baker, of Sixteenth-street Pilgrim Church; Rev. Dr. Armitage, of the Fifth-avenue Baptist Church; John Quincy Adams, of the Seventh-avenue Antioch Baptist Church; Rev. Mr. Bell of the Graham-avenue Church, Brooklyn; Rev. William Irving, of Yonkers; Dr. Bolger, of Grand-street Church, Williamsburgh; Rev. Samuel Curry, of Twenty-fourth-street Church, New-York; Rev. Mr. Carpenter, of Brooklyn, Congregationalist; the Pastor of the Primitive Methodist Church, Paterson, N. J.; Rev. Mr. Weaver, of Peekskill, Methodist Protestant; Rev. Mr. Banks, of Tarrytown, Methodist Protestant; Dr. Hulbut, of Yonkers, Reformed Dutch; Rev. A. B. Carter, of Yonkers, Episcopal; Rev. Mr. Stockton, of Philadelphia, Protestant Methodist.

This is the only camp meeting ever projected in which so many different denominations have participated. The grounds are reached from New-York by the Hudson River Railroad. Having done satisfactory penance through the by no means unbalmous scenes on the route—for, like the City of Cologne, it has a multitude of stinks—you land at *Yonkers*, and with you had taken the best a pleasant ride of two miles and a half over the hills along the saw-mill road, or the Nepperah road as the Indians called it, passing a number of residences secluded in umbrageous luxuriance, and the village remarkable with its monument to the unfortunate sufferers by the Henry Clay disaster, the entrance to the camp ground is reached. On either side of the road are evidences of preparations for satisfying carnal appetites, looking much like bars, and lager beer glasses. The committee in charge of the camp ground, however, have determined that no trafic inconsistent with the decorum of the place shall be allowed. They have full power under the very stringent laws of the State to prevent all huckstering sale of liquors, and other occupations not likely to conduce to heavenly thoughts. The Teuton's perennial lager is therefore doomed to proscription, and the saloon keepers but not intoxicated with the procrastinating beverage. The owners of several stands on property adjoining that of the camp ground will consequently be somewhat disappointed.

The camp consists of about thirty tents, arranged in oval form, and severally designed for the occupation of such families as will remain on the ground during the week, for social meetings, and for refreshments—these latter mundane comforts being by no means overlooked. The "boarding-house tents" are of extensive proportions, and their arrangements are well calculated to satisfy the thousands who will flock to the spot.

The camp is located in a delightful grove of tall white-wood and hickory trees, on the top of the hill. An area of 90 by 190 feet is cleared from the thick underbrush which pervades the vicinity. At one end of the area is erected a temporary pulpit, and seats for a thousand auditors are placed within the inclosed space. The lower branches of the trees are clipped so that light as well as shade is provided for. It is expected that no less than forty families will remain on the ground during the week, and already many of the tents bear evidence of the tasteful labor of fair hands. There will be preaching in the morning at 10, afternoon at 3, and evening at 7½—the names of pastors being advertised in the New York papers of the day previous. Throughout the day there will be impromptu prayer and experience meetings, as occasion may suggest, so that divine service will be progressing at all hours of the day. Among the celebrities at the camp there will be no less than two boy preachers, who have signified their intention to be present.

There was a prayer meeting held on the ground last evening, Rev. Mr. IRVING officiating, and about five hundred worshippers of various denominations were present. Yesterday afternoon there was an experience meeting, Rev. Mr. CUSHY, of New-York, presiding. The attendance was slim, but the spirit was awakened and all present joined heartily in the devotional exercises of singing, praying and relating experience. The evening was set apart for a sermon by Rev. JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, of the Seventh-avenue Baptist Church.

Obsequies of the Late Major Morton Fairchild.

The funeral of the late Brevet Major MORTON FAIRCHILD took place yesterday, at 2 o'clock P. M., from the City Hall, according to the arrangements previously announced. At sunrise the flags upon the City Hall, and those of the different hotels, were displayed at half-mast, out of respect to the memory of deceased. At 12 o'clock the body, inclosed in a neat rosewood coffin, ornamented with silver mountings, was conveyed to the Governor's Room, in the City Hall, where it remained in charge of two sentinels from the Scott Life Guard.

Each of the six silver handles attached to the coffin was encircled by thirteen silver stars, in a semi-circle, and the sword presented to deceased by the City of New-York, with his epaulettes, lay upon the coffin, which was draped in black, and partially covered with the American flag. An ornamental silver plate bore the following inscription:

"MORTON FAIRCHILD,
Brevet Major First Regiment New-York Volunteers,
died August 3, 1860, aged 54 years."

From 12 to 2 o'clock, P M., a large number of the friends of deceased came to view the remains, among others his companions in arms in the Mexican war, and the remnants of the New-York Volunteers. Shortly after 2 o'clock the immediate family of deceased entered the room in company with the officiating clergyman, when the doors were closed. Rev. Dr. STRYKER read appropriate selections from the Old Testament and from the 5th chapter of the Gospel of St. John. Rev. Dr. ARMITAGE then made a brief address, referring to the services performed by Major FAIRCHILD in Mexico, and to the wounds received by him on three several occasions at Cerro Gordo, Chapultepec and the City of Mexico. He closed with an impressive prayer.

The *cortège* then formed in front of the City Hall, facing toward the east gate, a battalion of the four Companies, A, K, C and G, of the Eleventh Regiment, with their respective commanders acting as an escort. Following these were the pall-bearers in carriages, as follows:

Major-General Storms, Col. D. D. Harris, Brevet-Colonel Burnham, N. Y. V., Brevet-Colonel Raynor, N. Grays, Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Dyckman, N. Y. V., Adjutant Phyffe, Hon. Daniel E. Sickles, Brevet-Major Hall, N. Y. V., Maj. Farnsworth, Maj. Farrhem, Capt. Taylor, N. Y. V., Capt. Innis, N. Y. V.

The clergy and physicians preceded the hearse, which was drawn by four gray horses, with the Scott Life Guard walking on each side as a guard of honor, under command of Capt. J. HOBART WARD. The survivors of the New-York Regiment followed, bearing their colors draped in mourning, and the procession was closed by the military, a Committee of the Common Council, and the relatives in carriages. The *cortège* proceeded through the east gate of the Park, down Park-row to Broadway, and thence to Hamilton-avenue ferry. The remains were interred at "Battle Hill," in Greenwood Cemetery, with the usual military honors.

Police Reports.

ARREST OF AN ALLEGED BURGLAR—DEADLY ASSAULTS.

On the night of the 28th of February last, the dwelling house and liquor-shop of Frank Hughes, No. 103 Cherry-street, was burglariously entered by means of false keys, and robbed of $350 in bank bills and gold coin. The burglar, who is alleged to be Pat Conway, was seen in the act of breaking into the premises, by a woman named Mary Johnson, but before she could sound the alarm and get help, Conway had escaped with the treasure. Search was made for the fellow, but he was not seen again till the 30th ult., when James Donovan, of No. 33 Cherry street, met Conway. They had a few words together concerning the burglary, whereupon Conway drew a bowie knife of immense size, with which he struck Donovan across the arm, inflicting a very severe wound. The assailant then escaped, and kept out of the way till Sunday night, when he was arrested by Officer Creighton, of the Fourth Ward. The moment he was seized, Conway showed fight, and struck at the officer with the same bowie-knife with which he had attempted the life of Donovan, but fortunately without doing any damage. He was secured after a severe struggle, and subsequently taken before the magistrate at the Tombs, and committed for a hearing on two charges of assault and battery, and likewise for burglary.

FATAL AFFRAY BETWEEN OLD MEN IN THE ALMSHOUSE.

An inquest was held at the Almshouse, Blackwell's Island, by Coronor Gamble, on the body of Lorenzo Faber, a German, 60 years of age, whose death is alleged to have been hastened by violence inflicted by Wm. Santey. These men occupied a room together, and on the 3d inst. a dispute arose between them in relation to having the door of their room open. During the quarrel, Faber struck Santey a blow with his fist, which so aroused the ire of the latter that he seized a stick and struck his assailant several powerful blows on the head. At the time, deceased was suffering from congestion of the lungs, and the violence inflicted by Santey, who is a man 72 years of age, is now in custody at the Almshouse where he will await the action of the Grand Jury. The prisoner admits striking the deceased, but says he did it in self-defence.

THE CHESTNUT-STREET ARSON CASE.

John Fenton, Bull Sturgis, and Wm. H. Jenkins, the former were recently arrested on a charge of wilfully firing the old frame dwelling No. 118 Chestnut-street, were on Monday taken before Justice Welsh, who locked them up in the Tombs to await examination. While yet in the station-house, Schneff and Berghur stated to the Fire Marshal that they knew Johnson fired the place. They say that on Saturday afternoon, about 3 o'clock, they saw Johnson put a lot of shavings into a hole under the floor, and soon after the fire broke out. Bergur, however, got some water and put it out, but not until Johnson had tried to prevent him doing so. The building was uninhabitable as a dwelling, and vagrants were in the habit of crawling in to sleep. Both say that they saw Johnson light a match and apply it to the shavings. He did it, he said, to burn out the "bummers." Independent of their statements, there is proof in at one or more of the three had a hand in firing the building with intent to burn it down.

DOMESTIC DIFFICULTY—SAVAGE ASSAULT.

Mary Murphy, an Irish woman, 30 years of age, was arrested by Officer Cowan, of the Twenty-first Ward, charged with having committed a felonious assault on her mother in-law, Mary Murphy, living at No. 322 First avenue. The two having a quarrel, the prisoner, as is alleged, seized a heavy cook shelf and struck her aged namesake on the head, fracturing her skull. The injured woman was conveyed to Bellevue Hospital, where she remains in a dangerous condition. The prisoner was held for examination.

BROOKLYN NEWS.

Meeting of the Common Council.

AN EXCITING TIME OVER THE MINUTES—THE ALBANY COMMITTEE AGAIN—WILLIAMSBURGH CLAIMS—TREASURER'S REPORT—FREE BOOKS—THE CHICAGO ZOUAVES.

A regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held last evening, President KALBFLEISCH in the Chair. A motion to approve the minutes provoked a somewhat lengthy and acrimonious discussion, for the reasons annexed: At the last meeting of this body, pending the consideration of a report of a Committee on a communication of the Commissioners to adjust and settle claims against the late City of Williamsburgh, the Chairman decided that the hour of 8 o'clock having arrived, according to the rules, he could not entertain any motion, unless relating to the business pending. Alderman DAYTON appealed from the decision of the Chair, whereupon the Chairman reiterated his previous statement, when Alderman DAYTON moved to refer the report under consideration to the Counselor for his opinion, when the motion having been agreed to, the Chair announced that the hour of 8 o'clock having arrived, in pursuance of the rules the Board stood adjourned to meet on Monday, Aug. 6, at 5 o'clock P. M.

The President then left the Chair. Alderman DAYTON moved that Alderman VAN BRUNT take the Chair, which motion was put by the Clerk and declared carried. Alderman VAN BRUNT took the Chair, the time for adjournment was extended by a vote of 10 Ayes to 1 Nay, and subsequently a large amount of business was transacted.

Last evening, when the Clerk had read the minutes to the point where the President had vacated the Chair, he was directed to stop by the Chairman. Alderman DAYTON with a majority of the members present, desired the balance of the minutes to be read, and made a motion to that effect. The Chair decided that the proceedings in question were illegal, and declined to entertain the motion. An appeal was taken from the decision of the Chair, and this he declined to put. After wrangling over the matter for about two hours, the President consented that the whole of the minutes should be read by the Clerk, the President and Alderman SCHOLES entering their protest, and the minutes were approved, the Clerk putting the motion.

President KALBFLEISCH here stated that he had neglected heretofore to appoint the Committee under a resolution of July 9th to investigate the transactions of the Special Committee sent to Albany last winter, to secure cheap fortiage, and he would now do so. He appointed as such Committee: Aldermen SCHOLES, MURPHY, O'KEEFE, PERRY, KALBFLEISCH. Alderman D. GREEN moved to discharge the Committee thus appointed. Alderman GREEN and Alderman FUREY favored the motion because they did not like the way the Committee was made up and the motion, after a few personalities had passed between the aspirants for the mayoralty, Alderman KALBFLEISCH, SCHOLES and DAYTON was carried by the following vote: *Affirmative*—Aldermen. Cashad, McLaughlin, Franks, D. Green, Dayton, Murphy, Furey, Van Brunt, T. Green—9. *Negative*—Aldermen Strong, Perry, Kalbfleisch, Scholes, O'Keefe, Klein—6.

Alderman DAYTON here rose to a question of privilege. He said that so far as he was concerned he had not the least objection to a thorough investigation of the use of every dollar by the Albany Committee, and if the parties who had received money would give their consent he would put forth a detailed statement.

At this juncture of the proceedings, the time for the hour of adjournment at 8 o'clock, was suspended, and the regular business was proceeded with, in order.

A communication was received from the Corporation Counselor recommending a settlement of the claims against the late City of Williamsburgh, as recommended by the Commissioners. The resolutions presented by the Commissioners appointed to examine the subject, as heretofore published, were adopted, after an amendment that the bonds of the city be issued for one instead of three years, and at seven per cent. interest instead of six per cent.

The President of the Brooklyn Citizens Gas Light Company applied for tax exemption under the law under which the company is organized, for three years. Referred to Assessment Committee.

The City Treasurer sent in his monthly statement showing the condition of his Bank account on the 1st of August to be as follows;

	Interest.	Total.
Brooklyn Bank	$1 281 51	$105 591 13
City Bank	1.429 80	108,876 10
Long Island Bank	1,795 88	118 734 54
Atlantic Bank	2 054 26	128 925 75
Williamsburgh City Bank	2 052 30	128 699 04
Mechanics' Bank	2 330 56	135 841 88
Central Bank	1,093 37	68 933 89
Nassau Bank	1,592 52	110,738 31
Manufacturers Bank	711 28	65,171 47
Farmers and Citizens Bank		5,340 95
Total deposits.....Int.	$14,341 48	$976 843 06
Special fund		$139 702 56
General fund		837,0s0 50
Total		$976 843 06

The report was referred to Finance Committee, to file it correct.

The Board, by resolution, decided to ask an appropriation of $10,000, to furnish books to children attending the Public Schools.

By resolution, $250 was appropriated to, in part, remunerate the National Greys, Capt. MORGAN, for expenses incurred in entertaining the Chicago Zouaves on their recent visit to this City. It should be stated in this connection, that the Greys did not ask for the appropriation.

In view of the disturbance at an early hour of the session, a motion was made to request the Metropolitan Police Commissioners to furnish a force of twenty-five men, to preserve order in the Board. The motion was lost, and several substitutes offered were also voted down.

After the transaction of some further business, the Board adjourned.

THE PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS.—An application was made to the Supreme Court, Special Term, before Judge LOTT, yesterday, on behalf of EDWARD W. FISKE, Esq., one of the Commissioners appointed under a recent act of the Legislature, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate to estimate in the matter of opening Prospect Park as laid down by the act referred to. Judge LOTT refused to entertain the motion, on the ground of holding an interest in property lying within the district of estimate and assessment. PHILLIP S. CROOKS, Esq., then made a motion for the appointment of Commissioners in the matter of laying out a parade ground, as provided for in an act of the Legislature. B. D. SILLIMAN, Esq., appeared to oppose the motion, on the ground that the two matters are improperly included in one act, and that the property to be taken for the parade ground is not described with sufficient accuracy. Decision reserved.

THE LATE ACCIDENT ON THE LONG ISLAND RAILROAD.—The jury impanneled by Coroner HORTON to investigate the circumstances attending the late accident on the Long Island Railroad, near Bedford, by which PATRICK LYNCH lost his life, assembled yesday afternoon, and after examining one or two witnesses, describing the accident and showing that the track was in a good condition, the further hearing of the case was postponed until Monday next. The engineer and conductor, who were injured at the time LYNCH was killed, will be able to resume their duties again within a few days.

POLITICAL.—The Republicans of the Fifth Assembly District have recently organized a "Union," by electing the following officers: President, Wm. M. Muchmore; Vice Presidents, John J. Anderson, Chas. L. Benedict, Aquilla B. England, John A. Betts; Secretaries, James V. Kearney, P. W. Ostrander; Treasurer, F. A. Chichester; Executive Committee, John M. Phelps, Robert D. Benedict, John D. Cutter, Anthony F. Campbell, David S. Simpson, Charles H. Kimball.

ITEMS.—A man named JOHN KELLY, last Saturday while intoxicated, fell down a stairway in Flushing, and died the following day from the injuries received. The deceased was once tried for murder, and was convicted of manslaughter, and served a term in the prison at Sing Sing.....A small house was blown down at Greenpoint during the storm Saturday night. Fortunately, no person was injured. Loss $500.....A team of horses, belonging to JOHNSON & SPADER, ran away on Hudson-avenue yesterday. The driver, a man named NELSON, was thrown violently to the sidewalk and severely injured, and a man named JOHN FLYNN, who stopped the excited animals, was also severely injured. Both of the injured men were taken to the City Hospital.....A man, named MCDERMOTT, was seriously injured yesterday morning, while hoisting logwood from a vessel at the foot of Adams-street, by a heavy stick falling upon his head. He was taken to his residence on Main-street in an insensible condition.....During the last four months there has been killed, by being run over on the Long Island Railroad, sixteen cows and oxen, and four horses.

UNITED STATES VS. CANADA—SEVENTH ANNUAL CONTEST.

The players representing the above sections of this continent met on yesterday on the Fox Hill ground at Hoboken—a ground that has been the scene of more contests than any other in this country. It was formerly as good as could be desired, but the improvements of the Hoboken Land Company has cut off a large slice of it and greatly lessened its value for cricketing purposes, it being necessary to resort to that unsatisfactory proceeding of limiting the runs for hits out of bounds.

The players brought into the field by the United States form as strong a party as has yet been brought against the Canadians, but one still susceptible of improvement; the St. George Club, in accordance with their determination expressed in the last Convention, not to take part in amalgamated matches, not being represented in this contest. Canada was represented by Messrs. B. Parsons, A. Farmor, T. C. Pattison, of Toronto; G. Sharpe, of Hamilton; T. D. Phillips, H. Phillips, J. C. Sykert, of St. Catharine's; S. Hardinge, T. G. Daly, F. Foudrinier, of Montreal, and C. J. Starling, of Belleville. The United States players were selected as follows: Hallis of Newark; Bow, Barclay Vernon, Newhall and Kephardt, of the Philadelphia American Cricketers; Wiley, Sharp, Sams and Higham, of the New-York Cleo, and Sadler, of the Kings County.

The Canadians having won the toss, the United States took the field, and their opponents, sent H. Phillips and T. D. Phillips to the wicket to take charge of the fast round arm of Hallis and the slows of Sadler. After two or three overs, T. D. Phillips made a fine hit from Sadler to square leg, which was very neatly taken by Kephardt and Rykert, who followed, made a single square leg, and then let a slow get into his wicket. Parsons then joined H. Phillips, who had been playing very steadily, and between them the fielders began to have a lively time, when Parsons, having made some fine drives, which footed up seven, succumbed to another of the puzzling slows. Daly joined H. Phillips, and these two got the slows well under command, driving and hitting the balls to leg with great freedom. H. Phillips was finely caught by Hallis at mid-wicket on, after having had a life from Higham at the wicket. Daly's fourteen was made by nine forward play, without giving a single chance, and contained two fine drives for three and two from Sadler. His wicket was at last leveled by a splendid shooter from Hallis. Farmor followed and made a good play for thirteen, but ran Hardinge badly out; the latter having called him got to the other wicket, but being compelled to return on Farmor's refusal to run. This was very unfortunate for the Canadians, as Hardinge had got his eye well on the ball, and was batting steadily, his nine being made by free hitting. Foudrinier's thirteen was a fine display, and was made up of drives and leg hits, chiefly from the slow bowling of Sadler, which had so puzzled most of the Canadians. Stealing was missed by Sadler, and run out afterwards, returning from an attempt to make a one a two, straining his leg in turning. The total of the innings of Canada footed up 86—only a fair score. This was due to the excellent fielding and bowling of the United States eleven, Hallis bowling his grippers with great steadiness, not delivering a wide, while the Canadians, not being used to slows, found them very destructive. The fielding was very fine at all points, especially in the long fields, where plenty of work was found to do—Wiley, Vernon and Newhall, and Senior, his substitute, filling these points admirably. Kephardt, at square leg, and Sharp, at point, were efficient as usual.

After partaking of refreshments the Canadians turned out into the field, the bowling being entrusted to Hardinge and Parsons, while Sharp and Vernon handled the wicket. Sharp was disposed of by a splendid fielding, H. Phillips passing the ball sharply to Pattison, who put down the wicket with a rapidity quite astonishing. Wiley followed, but after a very short stay Parsons found his way to his leg stump. Sadler succeeded, and drove one from Parsons for an easy two, and tried a third, gaining it though a bad play of Parsons, who ought to have run him out. Through this good fortune he was enabled to put a well-got 14 on the register, composed of a leg hit for five, a three, a two and singles. In the end he was well caught by Foudrinier at cover point from Hardinge. Sams, who had been hurt by a severe blow in the head from a ball thrown by a fielder, played without his usual spirit, only two 2's and a single being made before Hardinge disposed of him by a fine length ball on the leg stump. Immediately afterwards Vernon's stumps were scattered by one of Parson's insinuators, after he had scored an excellent 22, composed of five threes, two fours and singles. Newhall, Barclay and Kephardt, three Philadelphia Americans, played neatly for their respective scores, Barclay being splendidly caught by T. Phillips at point. Hallis and Bell got together at the end and ran up the score very quickly, Howes' 17 being the most brilliantly made score of the innings, containing two threes and four twos. The Canadian fielding was most excellent in many respects, the wicket-keeping of Pattison and the long stopping of Daly being remarkably brilliant, while Rykert at long leg and long field, T. Phillips at point, and H. Phillips at mid off and long leg were very safe. The other players had little to do, but were active in backing up the wicket keeper and returning the balls that came near them. Hardinge's bowling was excellent, as usual, and Parson's mediums, though not so regular, were yet very effective. After an intermission of ten minutes the Canadians again went to the bat, the two Phillips leading off, and Hallis and Sadler propelling the leather.

A ripping shooter from Hallis scattered T. Phillips' timbers, and Sharpe, the next batter, went out in the same way after scoring a seven, consisting of a square leg hit for 4, and 3 singles. Parsons' 19 were made in his usual fine style, and comprised cuts, leg hits and drives for three's, two's and singles. Daly, a very good bat, went in at dusk and made out two, when a ripper from Sams, who had replaced Sadler, disposed of him before he got a sight on the ball. H. Phillips was still in at sundown, having already made nine finely, and by his excellent judgment of a run assisted materially in running up a score.

The ground and its surroundings were in fine condition, but not the slightest accommodations were provided for the reporters, they being left to shift for themselves. This oversight should be remedied.

The following is the score:

ST. GEORGE'S CLUB.

First Innings.	Runs.	Second Innings.	Runs.
Waller, b. Sams	0	b. Sams	0
Lang, b. Sams	14	not out	29
B. Wright, b Sams	35	c. Sadler, b. Sadler	8
Brett, c. and b. Sadler	0	c. Porter, b. Sadler	0
Walk'r c. Park'r, b. Sams	12	c. Parker, b. Sadler	5
Gibbes b. Sadler	13	c. Saville, b. Sadler	40
S. Wright, run out	0	c and b. Sadler	2
H. Robinson, b Sams	8	absent	0
Burnett, b. Sams	2	c. Keeling, b Lyght	27
Bainbridge, not out	4	hit wicket, b Sadler	4
Tinson, b Sadler	0	l. b. w., b. Sams	0
Byes, 15; l. byes, 5; wides, 6	26	byes, 9; l. byes, 1; wides, 9	19
Total	114	Total	133

KINGS COUNTY CLUB.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Phillips, c. Lang, b. S. Wright	2	not out	1
Parker, b. Brett	2	c, and b. Brett	18
Beach, c. Bainbridge, b Gibbes	23	c. Burnett, b. Gibbes	3
Sadler St. Lang, b Gibbes	20	St. Lang, b. Gibbes	7
Sams, c. Gibbes, b. Brett	1	b. Brett	9
Lyght, l. b w., b. S. Wright	12	c, Lang, b. Brett	4
Lester, run out	3	c. Gibbes, b. Brett	0
Stacy, c. Lang, b. Gibbes	10	b. Brett	0
Saville, run out	0	c. Wright, b. Brett	0
Porter, not out	0	absent	0
Keeling, b. Gibbes	0	c. Walker, b. Brett	0
Byes 7, l. bye 1, wides 11	19	byes 4, wides 5	9
Total	82	Total	44

UMPIRES—Mr. RUSSELL, for St. George; Mr. HAMSHIRE, for Kings County.

Base Ball.

EXCELSIOR CLUB VS. PUTNAM CLUB.

These Clubs played a fly-game of Base Ball on Saturday, on the Putnams' ground, which terminated, after some fine play on both sides, in favor of the Excelsiors. Their batting was of the usual fine order, but some bad fielding on the part of the Putnams' second base, gave the Excelsiors a great advantage in the first innings. The play of Russell, Pearsall, Holder, as well as Leggett—who caught six men out on foul balls, some of them on the fly—was excellent; Pearsall put out seven men on first base, and three on foul balls. Creighton's pitching is just the thing to suit Leggett as catcher, who can hardly be beat in that position; Brainerd caught out three Putnams on the fly, Reynolds two, and Pearsall and Holder one each. Russell and Whiting put two men out on foul balls, for which they run a long distance. To show how good the Excelsiors batting was, only one foul was caught, and that was finely taken by Masten; while twelve men were run out by different players by passing balls to Stinson at first base, and nine were caught on the fly; Burr, McKinstry, and McDonald caught two each; and one each by Dakin, Wanzier, and Van Valkenburg, Brown putting four men out on second base.

Much of this running out men on the bases, was done from catches on the bound; thus showing more extraordinary sharp fielding than if the man had been out at once on the bound catch alone. The Putnams were rather unfortunate; but it was the opinion of many ball players that they are fully equal to an even contest with the Atlantics. Dakens' pitching was first-rate. Wanzier was good as catcher, but not equal to Masten; the latter was first rate at 3d base, Burr and McDonald excellent, Brown good and bad, and Stimpson first-rate, although all fielded exceedingly well. About 5,000 persons were on the ground and many ladies, some in carriages. The following is the score:

Excelsior.	Outs.	Runs.	Putnam.	Outs.	Runs.
Leggett, c	4	3	Masten, 3d b	2	1
Russell, l. f	3	3	Burr, c. f	3	1
Pearsall, 1 b	0	5	Brown, 2d b	3	2
Pea sall 1st b	1	4	Dakin, p	3	1
Holder, 2d b	3	1	Stimpson, 1st b	3	1
Brainard, r. f	3	3	McKinstry, short	3	1
Creighton, p	2	4	McDonald, l. b	4	0
Reynolds, short	3	2	Wanzier, c	3	0
Whiting, 3d b	2